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Grand Forks, N. D., Feb. 18.—Plans for establishing a sales office in the east for boosting products of all locally-owned North Dakota flour mills and to advertise the North Dakota products at a standardized spring wheat North Dakota flour were presented to the board of managers of the state mill and elevator in session here. The proposal was made by a committee of five mill owners from various districts in the state. The matter was taken under advisement by the state board.

FIRST HEAVY SNOW FALLS

Two and a Half Inches on Ground Here at Noon Today

Two and a half inches of snow—the heaviest single fall of the winter—lay on the ground at noon today. There was likelihood of a greater snowfall tonight and Tuesday. Colder also is predicted for a real winter spell of weather.

Temperatures over the Northwest were not unusually low. It was 12 below last night at Edinburg, Alberta, and above zero at other points in Canada, Montana and North Dakota.

Today's weather report follows: For twenty-four hours ending at noon today.

Temperature at 7 a. m.	16
Highest yesterday	21
Lowest yesterday	15
Lowest last night	14
Precipitation	18
Highest wind velocity	10

WEATHER FORECAST

For Bismarck and vicinity: Snow probably tonight and Tuesday. Colder.

For North Dakota: Snow probable tonight and Tuesday. Colder Tuesday and west portion tonight.

WEATHER CONDITIONS

Snow is falling at most places from the Dakotas northward to the Canadian Rockies, while unsettled weather, with scattered precipitation, prevails over the Mississippi Valley and Great Lakes region. Temperatures are near the seasonal normal in practically all sections.

GROWERS' BODY HAS MEETINGS

Wheat Pool Plan Is Being Explained to Farmers

A Wheat Growers Council meeting will be held at Arnold school house tonight at 8 o'clock, and a meeting will be held at Fort Rice at 8 o'clock Tuesday night.

The purpose of the meeting is to explain the wheat pool plan of the "wheat growers" organization. Officers of the Arnold Council are Wm. Green, chairman; W. H. Morris, secretary, and the officers of the Ft. Rice council are Alex. Ashbridge, chairman, and Irwin Reid, secretary.

ON PLEASURE TRIP

San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 18.—En route to the Hawaiian Islands on a pleasure tour 85 members of Lions clubs representing virtually every state in the union will sail Wednesday aboard the steamer Masonia.

M'ADOO WILL STAY IN RACE, IS PREDICTION

Supporters Gathering in Chicago Confident That He Is Not Injured

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Chicago, Feb. 18.—Supporters of William G. McAdoo, former secretary of the treasury, for the Democratic presidential nomination were here today from a majority of the states to decide on the request of Mr. McAdoo himself whether his candidacy should go on in view of mention of his name in connection with the Teapot Dome oil lease investigation in the senate.

Mr. McAdoo also was here but planned not to go to the conference unless invited.

Friends of Mr. McAdoo from 30 odd states were here at 10 a. m., the hour for the conference to open. All those who had expressed themselves prior to the conference declared that Mr. McAdoo's candidacy had not been injured by what they called the work of slanders and "Democratic enemies of Democratic success."

The more optimistic declared he would be nominated and elected.

None of the early speakers predicted other than that the conference would with virtual unanimity demand that Mr. McAdoo continue to stand for the nomination.

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POLICE FIND NEW VICTIM IN AN APARTMENT

Woman Bound and Gagged in Similar Manner to Murdered Lawson Girl

New York, Feb. 18.—Olga Morton, youthful estranged wife of Frederick Camp, bank employee, was found unconscious in her West Forty-sixth street apartment, gagged and bound in a manner exactly like that used by the robber-murderers of Louise Lawson, actress, who was found strangled to death in her studio February 8.

Miss Morton was revived and is not in a serious condition.

Miss Morton, like Miss Lawson, was found with silk stockings, a face towel used as a gag and a bath towel thrown over her head. She was lying face downward in the doorway leading from the parlor to the bedroom.

The maid had stayed in the apartment until 9 o'clock this morning when 10 or 12 of Miss Morton's men and women friends who had made up a party in the apartment below departed for their homes. Miss Morton was quite fatigued, the maid said, and she prepared her for bed before leaving and locking the entrance door. At about 10 o'clock this morning when the maid returned, she found the entrance door unlocked.

She saw the trussed-up body of her mistress as she opened the door. Screaming, she ran to the street shouting for police.

A physician called by the police revived the young woman, who told them that she was awakened some time during the night to see a man standing over her, a horrible grin on his face. Before she could cry out the man placed a hand over her mouth and then she felt a towel about her throat and consciousness ebbing away.

There was no disorder in the tiny little apartment and Miss Morton was too hysterical to tell the police any more.

The attack, almost in every detail, was so like that which resulted in the death of Louise Lawson that the police intimated they were certain both young women were the victims of the same men, who have become known in police circles as the "towel stranglers."

DR. SANDELIN DIES

Wilton, N. D., Feb. 18.—Dr. John Sandelin, who for the past quarter of a century has been one of the best known and highly respected citizens of this community passed away at his late home in Grass Lake township Thursday evening, February 7 at 10 o'clock, aged 63 years.

Dr. Sandelin contracted a severe cold several weeks before his death, while driving from Canada, in an automobile where he and his son, John Sandelin Jr., had spent several weeks visiting relatives and friends. Complications set in which resulted fatally.

John Sandelin was born in Juneau, Vesterland, Sweden, April 20 1860, being 63 years nine months and seven days old at the time of his death.

He was married to Miss Wilhelmina Mattson at Lilleharald, Sweden, on April 27, 1897. This union being blessed with three children.

ST. ELMO LODGE WILL HOLD CELEBRATION WEDNESDAY

St. Elmo lodge, Knights of Pythias, will celebrate the Diamond Jubilee of the order on Wednesday night, February 20, at an open meeting at the hall.

The Knights of Pythias order was founded on February 19, 1854. At the celebration it is planned to have a fraternal talk by Dr. Joseph Bryeson of the Episcopal church, followed by a social time.

The meeting is for Knights of Pythias and their ladies.

E. C. EDDY DIES AT FARGO HOME

Fargo, Feb. 18.—E. C. Eddy, 67, former Fargo postmaster and well known North Dakota pioneer, died at his home here early Sunday from pneumonia.

Mr. Eddy was one of the organizers of the First National bank of Fargo, the first bank to be established in North Dakota. He also was prominent in Masonic circles throughout the state.

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Attorney To Testify

Mr. Wheeler also asserted "that important information had been given" Senators by Milton J. Lambert, attorney for Edward B. McLean, publisher of the Washington Post. Mr. McLean came to Washington, from Palm Beach in response to a summons from the committee.

There were reports that those members of the oil committee who were in Washington might confer during the day behind closed doors with regard to the latest developments.

Chairman Lenroot, however, said that the meetings had been called and there had been no change in the plan to delay further hearings until next Monday.

DENIES MEETING

Washington, Feb. 18.—Chairman Lenroot denied today a widely published story that sensational developments had led to the calling of a meeting today of the senate oil committee. The chairman said there had been no change in the committee's plans and that so far as he knew the situation remained just as it was when the 10-day recess was taken Friday.

WORK SUSPENDED

Casper, Wyo., Feb. 18.—Development operations on the Teapot oil dome, 45 miles north of here, have been practically at a standstill since early winter. W. L. Connelly, vice president and general manager of the Mammoth Oil company, stated today in response to a report that the company had shut down operations because of the senate oil committee's investigation. When major operations were suspended, drilling of one new well and the deepening of two old ones to a lower sand were continued. The new hole was completed recently and operations are still in process on the deep tests, which are headed for the Lakota formation, according to Mr. Connelly.

No more drilling will be instituted, Mr. Connelly also stated, until advice is received from Harry E. Sinclair. Last year's development program was not launched until the middle of March. The company has completed to date 86 wells in the Teapot field.

K. P. CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY

St. Elmo Lodge Will Hold Celebration Wednesday

NEW ASSEMBLY IS DEDICATED

Jamestown, N. D., Feb. 18.—The new amusement hall building of the state insane hospital was dedicated here Sunday. It is built of stucco brick, the main building is 61 by 131 feet and the auditorium has a seating capacity of 800. There is a stage 18 by 24 feet. The rooms and corridors of the ground floor are covered with terrazzo. The amusement hall will be used for all assembly purposes for patients. There will be moving picture shows, patients' dances Thursday evenings and church services each Sunday. On the ground floor there are a barber shop, a billiard room, barber shop, and confectionery store rooms.

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PRESIDENT PRAISES DENBY RECORD AFTER ACCEPTING HIS RESIGNATION

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The President in a letter accepting the resignation praised the official record of his retiring naval secretary and said he acceded to the request with regret.

Theodore Roosevelt, who as assistant secretary under Mr. Denby had a part in drafting the order which transferred the naval reserves from the navy to the interior department, conferred with the President and announced later he did not expect to resign.

There was indication that Mr. Coolidge had not given thought to a successor to Mr. Denby but it appeared likely that one would be selected without delay.

ENGLAND URGED TO COLLECT

London, Feb. 18.—The Association of British Chambers of Commerce has sent letters to the premier, foreign secretary and chancellor of the exchequer calling attention to the amount of the debts due from France, Italy and other countries.

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CONFIRM ROBERTS

Washington, Feb. 18.—Organization of the legal machinery to handle the oil lease suits was completed today by senate confirmation of Owen Roberts of Philadelphia as government counsel.

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After repeatedly declaring he never would quit the cabinet under the direfire of those who have criticized his part in the oil leasing program the Secretary notified President Coolidge this morning that he was ready to step out.

His decision followed a telephone consultation between the President and Mr. Denby in which all of the latest aspects of the situation were talked over in the light of information passed on to the White House by Republican leaders in the Senate.

Recently a number of the Secretary's friends who have been consulted by Mr. Coolidge and they are understood to have advised the President that they fully understood the embarrassment that might result in retaining Mr. Denby in the cabinet while the oil annulment suits are in progress.

Party to Leases

Not only is he a party to the oil leases, having signed his signature to the contract of that of Albert B. Fall but he repeatedly has defended his part in the proceedings and has declared publicly since the present controversy arose that he believed the contract legal and would be willing to pursue the same course again.

It has been pointed out to the President that it might appear inconsistent to have a member of the administration holding these views remain in office while the administration itself through its counsel was moving in the courts to annul the leases on the ground that they were made without authority of law.

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The first step in these legal proceedings, injunction suits to prevent further work on the Teapot and California reserves, is expected immediately after the senate completes confirmation of the oil counsel probably today.

For the same reason there have been reports that Theodore Roosevelt Jr. also would retire as assistant secretary under Mr. Denby. Mr. Roosevelt also had a part in the framing of the oil leases.

Daugherty to Quit

The retirement of the navy secretary also revived rumors that the resignation of attorney General Daugherty would follow within a few days. A resolution relating to him and somewhat similar to that adopted some days ago asking for the resignation of Mr. Denby is pending in the Senate and its sponsors are pressing for quick action on it.

The resolution in which the President was advised to ask Secretary Denby to leave the cabinet was adopted February 11 by a vote of 47 to 34 in the senate. Immediately after it was sent to the White House Mr. Coolidge issued a statement declaring that such questions lay wholly within the province of the executive but adding:

"The President is responsible to the people for his conduct relative to the retention or dismissal of public officials. I assume that responsibility and the people may be assured that as soon as I can be advised so that I can act with entire justice to all parties concerned and fully protect the public interest I shall act. I do not propose to sacrifice any innocent man for his own welfare nor do I propose to retain in office any unfit man for my own welfare. I shall try to maintain the functions of the government unimpaired and on the evidence and the law as I find it and to deal firmly and impartially with every kind of wrong doing."

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Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 18.—(By the A. P.)—William Morning, veteran district judge, was shot and killed early today in his court room by Wallace G. Wallick, who in turn shot and killed himself. The judge was shot through the heart.

Berlin's Beggars Feast At Night

Berlin, Feb. 18.—(By the A. P.)—Hearing that the beggars of Berlin were feasting every night in their haunts, on white bread, sliced ham, roast beef, chickens, and other delicacies, the police investigated. The provender, it was learned, was secured by peddlers begging from door to door in the day time and selling their loot at night. The police tried to put a stop to the practice, but could not. The beggars went into court with an attorney and proved that no law had been violated.

FLOUR SALES OFFICE URGED

Grand Forks, N. D., Feb. 18.—Plans for establishing a sales office in the east for boosting products of all locally-owned North Dakota flour mills and to advertise the North Dakota products as a standardized spring wheat North Dakota flour were presented to the board of managers of the state mill and elevator in session here. The proposal was made by a committee of five mill owners from various districts in the state. The matter was taken under advisement by the state board.

FIRST HEAVY SNOW FALLS

Two and a Half Inches on
Ground Here at Noon
Today

Two and a half inches of snow—the heaviest single fall of the winter—lay on the ground at noon today. There was likelihood of a greater snowfall tonight and Tuesday. Colder also is predicted for a real winter spell of weather.

Temperatures over the Northwest were not unusually low. It was 12 below last night at Edmonton, Alberta, and above zero at other points in Canada, Montana and North Dakota.

Today's weather report follows:
For twenty-four hours ending at noon today:
Temperature at 7 a. m. 16
Highest yesterday 21
Lowest yesterday 15
Lowest last night 14
Precipitation 16
Highest wind velocity 10

WEATHER FORECAST

For Bismarck and vicinity: Snow probable tonight and Tuesday. Colder.

For North Dakota: Snow probable tonight and Tuesday. Colder Tuesday and west portion tonight.

WEATHER CONDITIONS
Snow is falling at most places from the Dakotas northwestward to the Canadian Rockies while unsettled weather, with scattered precipitation, prevails over the Mississippi Valley and Great Lakes region. Temperatures are near the seasonal normal in practically all sections.

ORRIS W. ROBERTS,
Meteorologist.

GROWERS' BODY HAS MEETINGS

Wheat Pool Plan Is Being
Explained to Farmers

A Wheat Growers Council meeting will be held at Arnold school house tonight at 8 o'clock, and a meeting will be held at Fort Rice at 8 o'clock Tuesday night. The purpose of the meeting is to explain the wheat pool plan of the wheat growers' organization. Officers of the Arnold Council are Wm. Breen, chairman; W. H. Morris, secretary, and the officers of the Ft. Rice council are Alex. Ashbridge, chairman, and Irwin Reid, secretary.

ON PLEASURE TRIP

San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 18.—En route to the Hawaiian Islands on a pleasure tour 86 members of Lions clubs representing virtually every state in the union will sail Wednesday aboard the steamer Maszon.

M'ADOO WILL STAY IN RACE, IS PREDICTION

Supporters Gathering in Chi-
cago Confident That He
Is Not Injured

MANY ARE PRESENT

Representatives From 30
States Gather For Meet-
ing Today

Chicago, Feb. 18.—Supporters of William G. McAdoo, former secretary of the treasury, for the Democratic presidential nomination were here today from a majority of the states to decide on the request of Mr. McAdoo himself whether his candidacy should go on in view of mention of his name in connection with the Teapot Dome oil lease investigation in the senate.

Mr. McAdoo also was here but planned not to go to the conference unless invited.

Friends of Mr. McAdoo from 30 odd states were here at 10 a. m., the hour for the conference to open. All those who had expressed themselves prior to the conference declared that Mr. McAdoo's candidacy had not been injured by what they called the work of slanders and "Democratic enemies of Democratic success."

The more optimistic declared he would be nominated and elected. None of the early speakers predicted other than that the conferees would with virtual unanimity demand that Mr. McAdoo continue to stand for the nomination.

POLICE FIND NEW VICTIM IN AN APARTMENT

Woman Bound and Gagged in
Similar Manner to Mur-
dered Lawson Girl

New York, Feb. 18.—Olga Morton, youthful estranged wife of Frederick Camp, bank employee, was found unconscious in her West 107th street apartment, gagged and bound in a manner exactly like that used by the robber-murderers of Louise Lawson, actress, who was found strangled to death in her studio February 8.

Miss Morton was revived and is not in a serious condition. Miss Lawson, who was found by her Negro maid, her hands tied with silk stockings, a face towel used as a gag and a bath towel thrown over her head. She was lying face downward in the doorway leading from the parlor to the bedroom.

The maid had stayed in the apartment until 12 o'clock this morning when 10 or 12 of Miss Morton's men and women friends who had made a party in the apartment below departed for their homes. Miss Morton was quite fatigued, the maid said, and she prepared her for bed before leaving and locking the entrance door. At about 10 o'clock this morning when the maid returned, she found the entrance door unlocked.

She saw the trussed-up body of her mistress as she opened the door. Screaming, she ran to the street shouting for police.

A physician called by the police, revived the young woman, who told them that she was awakened some time during the night to see a man standing over her, a horrible grin on his face. Before she could cry out he placed a hand over her mouth and then she felt a towel about her throat and consciousness ebbing away.

There was no disorder in the tiny little apartment and Miss Morton was too hysterical to tell the police any more. The attack, almost in every detail, was so like that which resulted in the death of Louise Lawson that the police intimated they were certain both young women were the victims of the same men, who have become known in police circles as the "towel stranglers."

DR. SANDELIN DIES

Wilton, N. D., Feb. 18.—Dr. John Sandelin, who for the past quarter of a century has been one of the best known and highly respected citizens of this community passed away at his late home in Grass Lake township Thursday evening, February 7 at 10 o'clock, aged 63 years. Sandelin contracted a severe cold several weeks before his death, while driving from Canada in an automobile where he and his son, John Sandelin Jr. had spent several weeks visiting relatives and friends. Complications set in which resulted fatally.

John Sandelin was born in Junnar Skog, Vaermland, Sweden, April 20, 1860, being 63 years, nine months and seventeen days old at the time of his death. He was married to Miss Wilhelmina Mattson at Lilleharald, Sweden, on April 27, 1897. This union being blessed with three children.

OIL SCANDAL BUBBLES EVEN DURING RECESS

10-Day Layoff of Committee
Does Not Halt Sensational
Reports in Capital

EXAMINING BOOKS

Important Testimony Dealing
With Speculations in Oil
Stocks Expected

Washington, Feb. 18.—(By the A. P.)—Despite the 10-day recess of the investigating committee developments in the oil scandal whirled along today at their customary break-neck speed.

Coincident with the resignation of Secretary Denby, there was prediction among Senators that important disclosures of a new and sensational character were imminent.

Their predictions revolved for the most part about the inquiry that committee experts are making into the books of various brokerage firms in search of evidence in oil stock speculation by government officials.

Senator Wheeler, Democrat, Montana, who has taken a hand in the inquiry in the absence from Washington of his colleague, Senator Walsh, declared that Harry Payne Whitney and members of the Bank and broker firm in New York undoubtedly would be summoned before the committee as a result of information that has reached the capitol.

Attorney To Testify

Mr. Wheeler also asserted "that important information" had been given Senators by Milton J. Lambert, attorney for Edward B. McLean, publisher of the Washington Post. Mr. McLean came to Washington, from Palm Beach in response to a summons from the committee.

There were reports that those members of the oil committee who are in Washington might confer during the day behind closed doors with regard to the latest developments. Chairman Lenroot, however, said that the meetings had been called and there had been no change in the plan to delay further hearings until next Monday.

DENIES MEETING

Washington, Feb. 18.—Chairman Lenroot denied today a widely published story that sensational developments had led to the calling of a meeting today of the senate oil committee. The chairman said there had been no change in the committee's plans and that so far as he knew the situation remained just as it was when the 10-day recess was taken Friday.

WORK SUSPENDED

Casper, Wyo., Feb. 18.—Development operations on the Teapot oil dome, 45 miles north of here, have been practically at a standstill since early winter. W. L. Connelly, vice president and general manager of the Mammoth Oil company, stated today in response to a report that the company had shut down operations because of the Senate oil committee's investigation. When major operations were suspended, drilling of only one new well and the deepening of two old ones to a lower sand were continued. The new hole was completed recently and operations are still in process on the deep tests, which are headed for the Dakota formation, according to Mr. Connelly.

No more drilling will be instituted, Mr. Connelly also stated, until advances are received from Harry F. Sinclair. Last year's development program was not launched until the middle of March. The company has completed to date 86 wells in the Teapot field.

K. P. CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY

St. Elmo Lodge Will Hold
Celebration Wednesday

St. Elmo lodge, Knights of Pythias, will celebrate the Diamond Jubilee of the order on Wednesday night, February 20, at an open meeting at the hall.

The Knights of Pythias order was founded on February 19, 1864. At the celebration it is planned to have a fraternal talk by Dr. Joseph Ryeison of the Episcopal church, followed by a social time.

E. C. EDDY DIES AT FARGO HOME

Fargo, Feb. 18.—E. C. Eddy, 67, former Fargo postmaster and well known North Dakota pioneer, died at his home here early Sunday from cancer. Mr. Eddy was the first cashier of the First National bank of Fargo, the first bank to be established in North Dakota. He also was prominent in Masonic circles throughout the state.

FIRST TO LEAVE COOLIDGE CABINET



Character study drawing of Navy Secretary Edwin Denby who resigned today.

PRESIDENT PRAISES DENBY RECORD AFTER ACCEPTING HIS RESIGNATION

Washington, Feb. 18.—(By the A. P.)—Secretary Denby has resigned and will retire from the Cabinet on March 10, he informed President Coolidge that in view of his connection with the oil leases he did not desire to further embarrass the administration by remaining a member of it.

The President in a letter accepting the resignation praised the official record of his retiring naval secretary and said he acceded to the request with regret.

Theodore Roosevelt, who as assistant secretary under Mr. Denby had a part in drafting the order which transferred the naval reserves from the navy to the interior department, conferred with the President and announced later he did not expect to resign.

There was indication that Mr. Coolidge had not given thought to a successor to Mr. Denby but it appeared likely that one would be selected without delay.

ENGLAND URGED TO COLLECT HARDING TO LEAGUE JOB?

London, Feb. 18.—The Association of British Chambers of Commerce has sent letters to the premier, foreign secretary and chancellor of the exchequer calling attention to the amount of the debts due from France, Italy and other countries. The association asks the government to approach France and Italy with a view of obtaining a payment on account, pending a settlement of the debts on a fair basis.

DEBT POLICY IS UNCHANGED

American Position Stays
Firm After Conference

Washington, Feb. 18.—The American government's debt policy remained unchanged after a conference today of the debt commission. The commission failed to act on proposals that the debtor governments be reminded again that the United States is awaiting funding proposals.

ASK JAFFRAY TO SPEAK HERE

A. of C. Invites Soo Lines
Head for Forum Dinner.

E. T. Jaffray, president of the Soo Lines, will be invited to address business men and women of Bismarck in the near future at a Forum dinner of the Association of Commerce. A. F. Bradley, secretary, announced today.

It is hoped to have the dinner the last week in February, but it will be arranged to suit Mr. Jaffray's convenience if he can be present within the next six weeks.

Mr. Jaffray has been taking an active part in the formation of the \$10,000,000 private finance company to aid agriculture in the Northwest, and until he became president of the Soo Lines was one of the most active bankers in the Northwest.

DR. VON KAHR QUITS OFFICE

Munich, Bavaria, Feb. 18.—(By the A. P.)—Dr. Von Kahr, the Bavarian military dictator, has resigned. General Von Lossow, commander of the Bavarian Reichswehr has tendered his resignation.

ACTION FORCED BY PRESIDENT IS INDICATION

Connection with Teapot Dome
Leases Followed by Secre-
tary's Resignation

ROOSEVELT TO FOLLOW?

Reported Assistant May Quit
—Rumors That Daugherty
Will Leave Spread

Washington, Feb. 18.—Secretary Denby's resignation will take effect March 10.

ROOSEVELT STAYS

Washington, Feb. 18.—Theodore Roosevelt, assistant secretary of the navy, announced after half an hour's conference with President Coolidge today that he would not resign as the result of the retirement of Secretary Denby.

CONFIRM ROBERTS

Washington, Feb. 18.—Organization of the legal machinery to handle the oil lease suits was completed today by senate confirmation of Owen Roberts of Philadelphia as government counsel.

Washington, Feb. 18.—Edwin B. Denby has resigned as Secretary of the Navy and his resignation has been accepted by President Coolidge.

After repeatedly declaring he never would quit the cabinet under the direfire of those who have criticized his part in the oil leasing program the Secretary notified President Coolidge this morning that he was ready to step out.

His decision followed a telephone consultation between the President and Mr. Denby in which all of the latest aspects of the situation were talked over in the light of information passed on to the White House by Republican leaders in the Senate.

Recently a number of the Secretary's friends also have been publicly since the present controversy arose that he believed the contract legal and would be willing to pursue the same course again.

It has been pointed out to the President that it might appear inconsistent to have a member of the administration holding the view remain in office while the administration itself through its counsel was moving in the courts to annul the leases on the ground that they were made without authority of law.

Roosevelt May Quit

The first step in these legal proceedings, injunction suits to prevent further work on the Teapot and California reserves, is expected immediately after the senate completes confirmation of the oil counsel probably today.

For the same reason there have been reports that Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., also would retire as assistant secretary under Mr. Denby. Mr. Roosevelt also had a part in the framing of the oil leases.

Daugherty to Quit

The retirement of the navy secretary also revived rumors that the resignation of Attorney General Daugherty would follow within a few days. A resolution relating to him and somewhat similar to that adopted some days ago asking for the resignation of Mr. Denby is pending in the Senate and its sponsors are pressing for quick action on it.

The resolution in which the President was advised to ask Secretary Denby to leave the cabinet was adopted February 11 by a vote of 47 to 34 in the senate. Immediately after it was sent to the White House Mr. Coolidge issued a statement declaring that such questions lay wholly within the province of the executive but adding:

"The President is responsible to the people for his conduct relative to the retention or dismissal of public officials. I assume that responsibility and the people may be assured that as soon as I can be advised so that I can act with entire justice to all parties concerned and fully protect the public interest I shall act. I do not propose to sacrifice any innocent man for my own welfare nor do I propose to retain in office any unfit man for my own welfare. I shall try to maintain the functions of the government unimpaired, to act on the evidence and the law as I find it and to deal firmly and summarily with every kind of wrongdoing."

Secretary Seen Denby

The decision in favor of a resignation apparently was reached soon (Continued on page 3)

HANDLING OF CLOVER FIELDS IS DISCUSSED

Expert at Agricultural College Gets Many Requests From Farmers

WALSTER GIVES ADVICE

Early on Feb. 16, Handling of sweet clover fields was the subject of a talk given by Dr. H. L. Walster, expert at the Agricultural College, to a group of farmers gathered at the Agricultural College. Dr. Walster, who has been in Montana for several years, has been very successful in his work with sweet clover. He has been very successful in his work with sweet clover. He has been very successful in his work with sweet clover.

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BIG GAINS SHOWN BY MONTANA LIFE

S. D. Cook, General Agent For State Has Participated in its Growth

A real romance of business has been the growth of the Montana Life Insurance Company of Helena in which a number of local citizens are shareholders and many of them are active in its growth.

Twelve years ago Harry R. Cunningham, then manager of the company, had at that time a capital and surplus of half a million dollars and its insurance in force consisted of policies written in Montana for a total of \$2,500,000. Its quarters consisted of three rooms and its personnel of two or three and four clerks.

December 31, 1923, its admitted assets totaled more than five and a half million dollars.

In the intervening twelve years it has become one of the strongest financial institutions of its kind, for its size and age, in the United States. In the ratio of policyholders' surplus to insurance in force it is one of the leading life insurance companies of the country.

In its offices at Helena it has 67 employees and now May it will move into a larger and more modern three-story business structure of its own.

Its field has steadily grown and it is now writing insurance in twelve states. At the close of 1923, it had more than \$75,000,000 in force.

Notwithstanding a world-wide upheaval occasioned by war and the subsequent depression, aggravated in the principal territory where the company then did business by undenied drought and ensuing unfavorable business conditions, under the supervision of Mr. Cunningham the Montana Life has made progress; even creative, but so substantial that it is rated as one of the strongest companies of its kind, in proportion to volume of business, that is found in the United States.

S. D. Cook, General Agent for the Montana Life Insurance company for the state of North Dakota, assisted in organizing the company and takes a personal interest and pride in its growth and stability. Mr. Cook is a Dakota pioneer. In 1881 he established the "Chamberlain Register," the "Great Northern," and the "Herald," all of which are now North Dakota papers. He established the "Daily Republic," at Minnehaha, and assisted in the contest for the capital, which had been placed on wheels by the legislature and Governor Ordway. In 1887 he sold his interests in the newspaper to a local company known as the Iowa Life, now a part of the National Life & Accident Insurance Company of Chicago. He opened offices for the General Agency of the Montana Life here in 1917 and is full of confidence in the future of the state and its ultimate taking its rightful place as one of the most prosperous states of the Union.

Grand Forks Feb. 16.—T. A. Durrant, traffic commissioner of the Grand Forks Commercial club, was authorized Thursday by the traffic committee of the club to go to Washington, D. C., to represent the club at oral arguments before the Interstate Commerce Commission on Feb. 17 and 18 relative to the Fargo rate case. Importance of the case in its relation to Grand Forks as a center for her trade territory is felt by the committee to more than warrant sending Mr. Durrant before the commission at that time, it is said. The Fargo rate case is the result of an attempt made by Fargo to secure freight rates that would place that city in a more favorable competitive position with eastern cities trading within her trade territory. Grand Forks entered the case with the same view in mind and is requesting an equalization of rates similar to that asked by Fargo.

Members of the committee discussed at length the points brought out in exception reports filed by railroads of the northwest and of Twin City interests with the commission. Mr. Durrant filed an exception report with the commission prior to Feb. 4, the date allowed for filing exceptions to the examiner's report of the Fargo hearing, held more than a year ago.

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A. C. TOWNLEY DENIES THAT HE WILL BE CANDIDATE FOR MINNESOTA OFFICE

Former President of National Nonpartisan League Also Claims He Has Hands Off of the Nonpartisan League Newspaper Scrap in Minneapolis—Other Political Gossip.

A. C. Townley, promoter of the Nonpartisan League, and recently suggested as a candidate for Governor, issued a denial of aspirations for holding office in a statement issued in Minneapolis Saturday. Townley said:

"Denying that he is to be a candidate for office and that he is seeking to obtain personal possession of the Minneapolis Daily Star, A. C. Townley issued the following statement: "It has been stated that I am to be a candidate for office. Rumors have been some quarters linked with the governorship and in others with the newspaper. I wish to say that I never have been, I am not now, and will not be a candidate for office. "I am engaged in building a farmers' price fixing organization known as the National Producers Alliance. This organization has now spread over six northwest states and already has a membership in excess of 30,000. We are preparing for a great summer drive to include more than twenty states. I could not abandon my supervision of this work if I would have no intention of doing so. "While in full sympathy with the Farmer-Labor political movement in this state and a loyal supporter of same, I am personally not in politics. My work with the Producers Alliance produces any possibility of political activity on my part."

"It has also been stated that I have sought to obtain personal possession of the Daily Star. This is no more true than the assertion that I am a candidate for office. I am, however, vitally concerned about the success of the Star. More than six months ago I became convinced that the financial policies of the Star were such that unless there was change in the board of directors and management of the paper it would be lost to the farmers and workers who built it. Accordingly, I have, with others, made a consistent effort to acquaint the stockholders with the situation and to arouse the stockholders to a point where they would take steps to recover and manage their own paper."

"The assertion that I have sought to name the board of directors, control their actions, or that I will hereafter seek to do so, is as unwarranted and as untrue as the claims which have been made that I am a candidate for office. "A. C. TOWNLEY."

The Minneapolis Daily Star, published in Minneapolis and established as a "farmers' daily," is facing the difficulty of a factional fight. All factions in the fight agreed before a court in Minneapolis that a receiver is necessary for the newspaper. Hearing will be held February 21 when they will nominate candidates. Former Judge J. C. Tift appeared on behalf of the newspaper company, who applied for the receiver. Robert M. Haines appeared on behalf of stockholders who have joined with four directors of the Northwest Publishing company to oppose management of the paper by Thomas Van Lear and John Thompson. The paper presumably had several thousand stockholders. It has been the leading Nonpartisan or Farmer-Labor paper. No statement has been made to indicate whether financial embarrassment is the cause of the present trouble, although the application for receivership was filed by a paper company. The greatest scrap appears to be for control, which is not unusual when a newspaper is owned by various people in a political organization, as experience in North Dakota has shown.

According to announcement made in Fargo, Hiram Johnson follows plan to put a full list of 13 candidates for delegates to the Republican national convention in the field on March 18 and also a candidate for national committeeman. It is reported the candidate for national committeeman will be Usher L. Burdick. Sufficient petitions have been filed to put Johnson on the March 18 ballot.

No statement has come from LaFollette headquarters in the last week or so. His name has been filed for the primary but candidates for delegates have not been filed. There has been no statement of the answer of LaFollette to the Farmer-Labor party's action here seeking to have both him and other "progressive" Senators in Washington declare whether or not they are for a third party or whether they want to stay in the Republican party. LaFollette also has not said that he is willing to be a candidate in the primaries for President. His uncertainty as to his political future has thrown a cold blanket on the activities of some of his friends.

The reaction from the "Real Republican" convention here is declared pleasing to the Coolidge supporters. They believe that the President is stronger than he has been, in view of his firm stand and his steady course in Washington in the "off in" quiry developments and they believe he will carry the state.

The comments of Nonpartisan League newspapers over the state convention is optimistic. Most of them seem to be the selection of A. G. Sverre, although the fact that he is virtually unknown in state politics has limited the discussion of his possibilities as a candidate.

Perfect Addition "How long have you been married?" "Twenty years. Nine, three and eight at a stretch."—Detroit Free Press.

PEOPLE'S FORUM

PRIZES

Bismarck, N. D.

Editor Bismarck Tribune:

I am a daily reader of your paper and have heard a great deal of diversified farming and am sure farmers would pay more attention to their chickens if they could do as I did at Fargo and Crookston.

At Fargo in January I took 1st cock, 1st young hen, 2nd cockerel and 2nd hen and 3rd pullet. At Crookston in February I took 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th cockerel in a class of 12, 1st pullet in a class of 24; 1st young hen in a class of 3; 5th cock in a class of 10. I sold 1st prize cockerel for \$15.00 and 4th pullet at \$3.00 a piece.

Premium money amounted to \$15.25 which makes \$42.25.

Seven (7) prizes out of a possible growth 420 single Comb White Leghorns entered a contest.

Pretty fair after sending birds 363 miles.

Entry fee and express both ways amounted to \$14.91 which leaves a profit of \$27.34 on one show besides the pleasure a person receives from his flock every day.

Yours very truly,

Geo. A. Sandvig.

THE HIGHWAY AMENDMENT

Minot, N. Dak., Feb. 14, 1924.

Editor, The Tribune:

In the Grand Forks Herald Mail Bag on the editorial page under date of Feb. 12, 1924 is a letter by Mr. R. W. Hatt of Orr, N. Dak., giving some very extravagant figures and ideas purporting to be true and accurate, as against the wisdom of initiating the measure for the creation of a Highway Commission different from what we now have, and petitions for which, he says, the state is being "flooded."

I take it from reading his letter he is opposed to it to a considerable extent and gives figures to show that we would be compelled to raise \$3,080,000.00. He sums it up this way: By doubling the automobile license fee, would give approximately \$1,500,000.00. He then claims that the balance, or \$1,580,000.00 would have to be raised by direct taxation.

First, I will try to show that his sum total of \$3,080,000.00 is too high, which he classifies as follows:

Amount required to meet maintenance	450,000.00
Amount required for state line bridges	130,000.00
Administration of Motor Vehicle Registration and Highway Department	250,000.00
Amount required to fund the 10% to the counties advanced by them to meet Federal Aid to date	650,000.00
Making a total as stated	\$1,480,000.00

I received the following figures from one of the Federal Engineers and two of the State Highway Engineers:

Our apportionment of Federal Aid, 1924	\$1,300,000.00
Maintenance 1923 (129,000,000)	150,000.00
State line bridges	130,000.00
Administration both departments	150,000.00
10% refund to counties	450,000.00
Total	\$2,180,000.00

These figures indicate nearly a million dollars less than Mr. Hatt's. But we will lay these differences aside for the moment and have Mr. Hatt tell us when and where the Federal Aid Act compels us to raise one cent of tax.

I find in reading over the Act, that it provides an apportionment to each state for each year, and any portion not used by such state, is reapportioned to all the states on the same basis as is the prior apportionment.

I can find nothing in the Act, nor in the Amendments that says a state must use all of their apportionment, but it does say that a state that does not use all of its apportionment, they will lose what they do not use, because it will be given to all the states in reapportionment.

But I would like to have you digest these statements of Mr. Hatt. His letter says that Grand Forks County pays about 5% of the taxes of the state, which amounts to \$75,000.00, and his county has spent approximately \$75,000.00 for Federal Aid, and the 10% refund would give his county \$7,500.00 per year for ten years. He says Grand Forks county at present pays \$43,000.00 Auto license, and which would be doubled if the new law is enacted, making \$86,000.00 per year, or for a period of ten years, would amount to \$860,000.00. Now to this he adds the required tax levy of \$75,000.00 per year for ten years, totaling \$750,000.00 in all making a grand total of \$1,610,000.00. Then he adds, "this looks like a long price to pay for a rebate of \$75,000.00." Well, Mr. Hatt, I agree with you, that it would be a long price, and the highest quality of poor business for your county to pay \$1,610,000.00 for \$75,000.00. On the other hand I think folks would call the present Highway Commission pretty good financiers, if they could induce the counties to pay \$1,610,000.00 for a paltry \$75,000.00. Does not his figures and line of argument sound ridiculous and misleading? To the casual reader possibly they sound plausible, and possibly they are taken for granted as correct by many. It is this fear that is prompting me to write this letter.

Mr. Hatt further states that "they" propose raising the gas tax one cent per gallon, which amounts to about \$350,000.00 and if this amount is taken from the general fund where it now goes, this \$350,000.00 will have to be made up by direct tax levy. I do not know who he means by "they." If any transfer is made of that fund, it will have to be done by the Legislature, and my opinion is, that at this time when the cry is, "lower taxes," that nothing like that will be done until times get better. But I will say that I believe the Leg-

islature will put it or possibly 2c per gallon additional tax on gasoline used in motor vehicles, to be used by the Highway Commission in the construction and reconstruction and maintenance of highways, the same as most of the other states are doing, as it is conceded by nearly every one, that that is a just and equitable tax, as paying a near proportionate count to the number of miles you see the highways.

Mr. Hatt suggests that you read section 3 of the article carefully, and calls to your attention section 6 of the Act, and quotes it as follows: "Federal Aid Road Act, section 6, says before any projects are approved in any state, such state, through its highway department shall select a system of highways not to exceed 7% of the total highway mileage of such state as shown by the records of state Highway Department at the time of the passage of this act."

Now this system all—please note the meaning of the word, all! Federal Aid apportionments shall be expended. If Mr. Hatt can find the word "all" in section 6 of the Act, he can read better than I can, as I am unable to find the word in the section. In fact Mr. Hatt's expression is wrong and is misleading many who read his letter.

I suggest that you read all the sections in the Initiative Measure proposed in the petition, and read all on the page, and read it several times so you will be sure to have it right.

My personal view is, that the measure is a good one and should become law, for several reasons. First, it would create a State-Highway Commission whose whole personnel would not be changed in its entirety every two years at the will and whim of one man, namely, the Governor elect. I think the organization is too important, and means too much to the State to be left in that jeopardizing position.

Secondly, The Bureau of Public Roads desire a constituted body, one which they can deal directly on the construction, reconstruction and maintenance of the 7% system of Highways without being held up by counties, thereby causing a gap in a state or interstate or National highway. At present some counties won't come out for financial reasons, and some are indifferent, and all the causes added together make an obstacle hard to overcome for the best working interests of the Bureau of Public Roads, the State Highway Commission and the traveling public.

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Exception has been taken to section 3 in the amendment, where it says: "and any other revenue"—in the second line of the section. Let us see what that means. Supposing North Dakota wanted to, at some future time, vote a Bond Issue for road construction. Under this Initiative measure the Highway Commission would be enabled to handle each dollar with an additional dollar of Federal Aid. But here I will state, so I will not be misunderstood, that I am opposed to a Bond Issue at any time. I particularly wish to call your attention to the fact that the Highway Commission would be governed by laws enacted by the Legislature at all times and in all cases as provided in section 3 of the proposed amendment.

The misleading statement was made at a meeting last week in Grand Forks that if this Initiative measure was enacted into law by the people, the Highway Commission would be a body of Czars, subject to nobody, not even to Legislature nor the Governor. This statement is ridiculous, as section 3 provides that the commission shall be governed by law, and I further wish to emphasize the fact that this measure, does not necessitate the expenditure of large sums of money unless the Legislature provides the funds, and the people demand it.

—Ormanzo A. Brown, Dickinson, N. D.

BOTH SIDES IN LIGNITE FIGHT ARE PREPARED

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that the new tariff resulted from "the issuance of instructions from connecting lines to cancel discriminating rates on lignite" and this statement was interpreted by many civic and development bodies of the Northwest to indicate that there was collusion between the soft coal operators and the railroads carrying soft coal over the long haul. Sentiment

VALLEY CITY RAIDED BY WOLVES; IF YOU DOUBT FACT, READ THIS

Valley City, N. D., Feb. 18.—A pack of over three hundred hungry timber wolves, following a huge gray leader, swept through Main street here with the fury of a cyclone, killing and devouring three ox teams, a saddle pony belonging to Dr. Erasmus Kintner, and numerous dogs, cats and fowl before the voracious animals disappeared into the bluffs bordering the Cheyenne river.

Many of the citizens here had narrow escapes as they scurried into their sod and frame houses for protection. The fact that the wolves did not attempt to force entrance into the flimsy cabins undoubtedly averted a considerable loss of human lives. Hunting parties were immediately formed, but it is doubtful if the wolves can be located, as the Saugeen Mountains west of here offer a refuge that is inaccessible to hunters. Those who have tried to penetrate the densely wooded interior and rocky cliffs found them heavy-

ly crystallized into a demand that a federal grand jury should investigate the possibility that the federal anti-trust act was being violated. The attorney general of North Dakota instituted an investigation as to possible criminal prosecution but completion of this investigation has been deferred pending the hearings. Representatives of the attorney general's office will give particular attention to any evidence developing at the hearings which would tend to justify such a step.

Lignite Market Expands

The importance of North Dakota lignite as a satisfactory and economical fuel for domestic and industrial purposes in a large area of the Northwest was emphasized in the publicity which the case has attracted. North Dakota possesses more coal than Germany, France, and England combined and is doing much to develop this coal. The state has not sufficient proportions seriously to affect the market for eastern coal until within recent years. Encouraged by the state government and development organizations, the lignite operators launched an extensive campaign in 1922 to extend the market for North Dakota coal within this state, Minnesota and South Dakota. The results of this campaign are shown in statistics compiled by the state mine inspector indicating that production in 1923, placed the lignite market in the largest in the history of mining in North Dakota. In 1922 the total production was 1,057,823 tons. The expansion of the lignite consuming area was particularly marked in Minnesota and South Dakota and is to some extent responsible for the 1923 crop plus of eastern coal at the head of the lakes. Stocks at the head of the lakes this year are greatly in excess of other years, according to information coming from dock interests.

According to state officials particularly interested in the development of the North Dakota coal fields, consumers in the lignite consuming area are effecting savings ranging from 15 to 40 per cent in their fuel bills through the use of North Dakota coal instead of eastern coal. Major Stanley W. Shuman, president of the operators' association and vice president of the largest mine in the state, has predicted that the state's output within a few years will be from 3,000,000 to 5,000,000 tons annually and has repeatedly pointed out that the use of North Dakota coal in the Northwest will eventually keep \$100,000,000 now going east annually for eastern coal, in the Northwest to help develop this section.

Houck in Charge

Stanley B. Houck, Minneapolis attorney engaged by the North Dakota Lignite Coal Operators association, is in charge of the operators' case. He is being assisted by John Thorpe, first assistant attorney general of North Dakota, E. H. Hendricks, rate expert of the railroad commission; V. E. Smart, of Jefferson City, Missouri, former rate expert of the North Dakota commission, who was brought back especially for this case; representatives of the commission in South Dakota and Minnesota; and traffic experts affiliated with various civic bodies and industries interested in opposing the new tariff. The various carriers interested will be present to appear as witnesses and to assist in the case.

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From North Dakota, the senator will return direct to Washington, stopping only a few hours at national headquarters here.

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The above "news story" appearing in a recent edition of the Saturday Blade published at Chicago, Ill., might indicate that North Dakotans may soon expect to read that immense herds of buffalo are still roaming the great prairies and that Custer left much work undone for Indian massacres threaten residents of various modern cities of the state in the Saturday Blade. Undoubtedly residents of Valley City will be interested in learning of their alleged dire peril as they huddle in their "flimsy cabins and their sod and frame houses" and mourn for the oxen, pony, dogs, and cats alleged to have been devoured by the phantom pack of wolves. The Tribune regrets that available maps fail to show the location of the "Saugeen Mountains" which were so conveniently created for the "wild animals."

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ACTION FORCED BY PRESIDENT IS INDICATION

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E. M. Clark, one of Mr. Coolidge's secretaries, visited Mr. Denby's office this morning but he was not in. Mr. Denby's resignation should take Mr. Denby soon after left the Navy department by a private entrance and left word that for the present he would have nothing to say.

The Secretary's retirement makes the Navy branch in the official family which Mr. Coolidge took over intact from the Harding administration. Mr. Denby was one of the original members of Mr. Harding's cabinet. This selection brought to that department for the first time in many years a man who is known by personal acquaintance to the President and who has experience in the viewpoint of enlisted men both in the Navy and the Marine Corps.

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Take Tanlac Vegetable Pills.

ACTION FORCED BY PRESIDENT IS INDICATION

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after Mr. Coolidge went to his office this morning but a formal announcement was deferred.

E. M. Clark, one of Mr. Coolidge's secretaries, visited Mr. Denby's office this morning but he was not in. Mr. Denby's resignation should take Mr. Denby soon after left the Navy department by a private entrance and left word that for the present he would have nothing to say.

The Secretary's retirement makes the Navy branch in the official family which Mr. Coolidge took over intact from the Harding administration. Mr. Denby was one of the original members of Mr. Harding's cabinet. This selection brought to that department for the first time in many years a man who is known by personal acquaintance to the President and who has experience in the viewpoint of enlisted men both in the Navy and the Marine Corps.

No Successor Named

These were nothing to indicate today that President Coolidge had given any thought to the successor to Mr. Coolidge. In some quarters it was said he would be urged to appoint another Michigan man to the place—perhaps either Charles B. Warren who has been offered the post of ambassador to Mexico or former representative Patrick H. Kelly, who served in Congress as head of the appropriations subcommittee in charge of naval supply bills.

HI JOHNSON STARTS OUT ON SPEAKING TOUR

Chicago, Feb. 18.—Senator Hiram Johnson left Sunday night for a week's campaign in Nebraska, South Dakota, and North Dakota. He will make at least ten speeches in the three states, beginning Monday at Lincoln, and concluding the tour Saturday night at Fargo. Accompanied by his secretary, Raymond Rurr, Senator Johnson left for Lincoln at 6:15 p. m. He is scheduled to arrive at the Nebraska capital in time for an afternoon address. He will speak Monday evening at Omaha. The program for the balance of the week as tentatively arranged here, follows:

Tuesday, Sioux Falls, S. D. Wednesday afternoon, Madison, S. D. Wednesday evening, Brookings, S. D. Thursday afternoon, Clear Lake, S. D. Thursday evening, Watertown, S. D. Friday evening, Watertown, S. D. Saturday, Fargo, N. D.

From North Dakota, the senator will return direct to Washington, stopping only a few hours at national headquarters here.

FINE HOGS TO BE SOLD HERE

T. N. Johnson of Sterling will hold a sale of fine hogs here tomorrow. Probably no breeder of North Dakota has used any boars of better breeding than has Mr. Johnson. That it pays to use the best in the breed is shown by the excellent offerings that will be sold in this sale. They are the right type that will be money makers. The girls will be bred to Big Commander, a good son of that great

only large enough for wolves and other wild animals to pass through.—Saturday Blade (Chicago).

Coughing is unnecessary and can be controlled

COUGHING is frequently due to an irritation of the throat and lung tissue which persistent hacking only makes worse. You can stop coughs of this character almost at once with Dr. King's New Discovery. It relieves the irritating tickle and quiets the impulse to cough, thus giving the inflammation that is causing the cough a chance to clear up. You'll like its agreeable taste. All druggists.

DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY

ELECTION LAW CASE GOES UP TO HIGH COURT

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The election law injunction case, in which Roy Frazier seeks to prevent submission of the so-called "nonparty" election laws to a vote on March 18, was expected to be certified to the supreme court today, and it is possible the case will be argued the middle of the week.

After District Judge H. L. Berry, sitting in the Burleigh district court, after hearing arguments in the case late Saturday afternoon said Attorney-General George Shafer might prepare an order upholding the legality of the Governor's proclamation for an election, and the defendants indicated a desire to appeal, it was agreed that both parties would get together and certify the case to the high court without delay.

Judge Berry, in deciding the case, said that the constitution provided that a referendum election could be held at the time fixed in the petition by the signers to petitions to hold up operation of the law (which in this case was November, 1924) or the Governor could call a special election.

Judge Berry delivered his opinion from the bench, saying that it was necessary for him to go to Hettinger Sunday.

"There is a political side to this," said Judge Berry. "It creeps in. You just can't keep it out. The court feels it."

The time will come, he said, when the people of the state will prevent a state-wide election being held between December and March because the farmers can't vote then.

He declared the calling of the election in March "is reprehensible."

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UP TO THE PUBLIC

Complaint upon costs of education in this and other states should not be directed solely against educators. In a large way the patrons of the schools are often to blame. Their motives also are worthy for the aim in most instances is to secure better service from the public schools, but that costs money.

The Bismarck Board of Education must face the problem along with all school officials of cutting away the frills which may be desirable adjuncts to the school program but in view of mounting costs more than the taxpayers can stand. It would work a hardship to prune salaries of teachers. The average monthly salary paid teachers in Bismarck is less than that paid janitors. Surely there can be little curtailing in that direction.

But after a careful study there may be features of the school work that can be eliminated without injuring the school system.

Another policy must be decided upon and that is the limiting of registration at the High School. Admittance of non-resident students has placed an extra burden upon taxpayers. The fee for tuition should be large enough to care for the cost of the service and if this plan is not feasible registration should be restricted to the actual capacity.

While the High School is over crowded now, if non-resident students were eliminated there would be room for all resident students. Under the present plan the Bismarck Board of Education does not get in fees and state aid what it costs the city to educate non-resident students, some of whom come from counties other than Burleigh. This problem must be solved too in view of mounting costs.

In the agitation for lower prices, however, it is well to tackle the most glaring expenditures before depriving children of educational facilities. There can be slashes in state payrolls, elimination of costly experiments in socialism which would reduce taxes at once, for future levies.

What are we going to do this year about reducing tax levies to be raised next year?

Millions can be lopped from state and local budgets in North Dakota if there is the courage to do so. But let's start with the non-essentials and not with the women and children via the slashing of educational budgets.

HOW MANY STEAL?

How many of the people, whom you pass on the streets, are absolutely honest? "Four out of five!" answers Solomon Ulmer. He recently demonstrated this by an odd experiment.

Ulmer, head of a mortgage company in Cleveland, is raising money for a new tuberculosis sanitarium in Los Angeles. He picked 1000 names at random from his local city directory. To each of these he mailed this letter, with a \$1 bill enclosed:

You can keep this dollar if you want to, but we hope you won't. We hope you'll send it and another one to me as your subscription to the fund. We believe everyone is really kind and generous. We are investing \$1000 to prove that belief. Have we made a good investment? What is your answer?

Out of the 1000 who received a letter and \$1 bill, 600 returned the dollar with at least one more, 200 sent the dollar back alone, and 200 kept the dollar.

The 200, of course, are not dishonest as the law views such things. They were told they could keep the dollar if they preferred. But an appeal was made to them in a good cause and they were put on their honor to repay.

At any rate, at least four out of five are absolutely honest, and three out of five are generous as well as honest.

Cases like this give us renewed confidence in our fellow-men at large—especially the strangers whose elbows brush ours on the street.

As you follow the daily news and read of hold-ups, confidence games, swindles and burglary, maybe you occasionally get the notion that the world reeks with dishonesty.

Not so. The dishonest cases are the exceptions. That's why they are news—a record of the unusual. Honesty is so common and general, that cases of it are not news.

VALUE OF FAT

The famous Parisian dressmaker, Mme. Madeline Voinet, visits New York and comments: "It's a pity that all American women want to be thin. They lose something when they force flesh away—the freshness is lost and they are almost certain to have a haggard appearance which no amount of youthful clothes can disguise. It's a pity to go against nature. I believe in being natural."

One answer to this is that it isn't natural for a woman to get too fat, any more than it's natural for her to get too thin. The womanly attempt to be thin is more than a fashionable urge. It reflects a desire for health, activity and grace.

"It's a pity to go against nature. I believe in being natural," says Mme. Voinet. A large part of our generation wears a mask. It hides its real self. It apes others—tries to live up to standards beyond its income—even affecting the strut and shrug of movie stars.

When a person is not absolutely natural, frankly and bluntly just what God made him, it's an admission that he's ashamed of himself. Great personalities are always natural, never masked.

WANT ANY WILD ANIMALS?

Want to buy a lion? The animal companies will go into the jungles of Africa, catch and deliver a lion to you for \$500. Tigers are listed lately at \$1000 apiece, elephants as low as \$2500.

The elephant quotation interests orientals as much as auto prices interest us. Many centuries are bridged in this contrast. And the auto dumbfounds the out-of-the-way oriental as much as the jungle beasts fascinate us.

EDITORIAL REVIEW

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A STRANGE WAY TO HONOR HARDING'S MEMORY

The mud which Frank A. Vanderlip threw at the reputation of the late President Harding did not stick. Testifying before the Senate oil investigating committee recently, Mr. Vanderlip admitted that he had done nothing but repeat a sordid rumor of the sort that is always being bandied about concerning public men.

"Substantially, I said in my speech that there were rumors coming from Washington which went beyond gossip," the witness told the committee. "I believed that out of respect to President Harding's memory this scandal, for I believe it scandal, should be coldly looked at."

And that was all he could say! The absurd baseness of that part of Mr. Vanderlip's speech in which he had looked under the edge of a shroud is further emphasized by the ignorance which he displayed in another part of his speech, when he asserted that the reason the Senate committee had not insisted that Mr. Fall testify was that the members were afraid he would incriminate others of high importance.

Mr. Vanderlip admitted to the committee that he did not know that Mr. Fall had been summoned and had refused to testify on the ground that his testimony might tend to incriminate him. Every newspaper in the country carried the news, which was everywhere of first-page performance. Yet the news was unread by a man who presumes to be sufficiently informed to instruct his countrymen, to denounce Senators, and to impute dishonesty to a dead President!

Mr. Vanderlip had nothing to tell. In contrast to him was Louis H. Brush, one of the two publishers who purchased the Marion Star from President Harding. Mr. Vanderlip had referred to Mr. Brush and his associate as two young men of no financial standing. Mr. Brush testified that he had known Mr. Harding for twenty-five years, and that, in addition to his half interest in the Star, he owned practically all the stock in three other Ohio newspapers and a small interest in another in New York State.

The price paid was \$380,000, instead of the \$50,000 of which Mr. Vanderlip spoke, and Mr. Brush gave details to show that neither he nor his associate borrowed any money except two ordinary bank loans.

Mr. Vanderlip's charges have fallen flat. They would be merely ridiculous if they were not also a tremendous wrong. They wronged the reputation of the late President. They wronged Mrs. Harding and the present publishers of the Marion Star. And above all, they wronged the country, for they raised in the minds of millions of Americans a baseless suspicion that a President of the United States has been bribed.

A strange way, indeed, to honor Harding's memory!—Chicago Journal of Commerce.

MANDAN NEWS

WELL KNOWN PIONEER DIES

Funeral services will be held this afternoon from the Lutheran church at Sims, Rev. Larson of Taylor officiating, for Fred Holritz, aged 75, who died early Friday morning at the home of his son, Andrew Holritz of Aberdeen.

Deceased was born in Christiania, Norway, Sept. 3, 1848 and came to the United States in 1867 making his home until 1870 at St. Louis, Mo. He was one of the first settlers to take up a homestead near Minnetonka in Lyons county, Minn., in 1870, and was married there in 1874 to Miss Louise Anderson.

On September 13, 1888, Mr. Holritz brought his family to Morton county and located at Sims where he opened a general store which he conducted until 1907 when he retired from the business and moved to Aberdeen living there until 1912 when he returned to Sims following the death of his wife in 1911.

Mr. Holritz was one of the best known of the early settlers in the county and was respected by a wide acquaintance. He had held numerous local and township positions and served in the house of representatives at two terms of the state legislature—1891, 1893.

Four children survive, Mrs. Gus T. Olson, for many years a resident of Mandan and now living at Fargo; E. A. Holritz of Carson City, a county auditor; F. C. Holritz of Mandan and Andrew Holritz of Almont. Another daughter, Mrs. M. N. Anderson of Hillsboro died Nov. 11, 1922. All four children were with him when death came.

HURT IN CRASH

Joe Krois, well known farmer who lives sixteen miles south of the city is in the hospital with severe cuts about the head and face as a result of an auto spill about five o'clock Friday afternoon on the Ft. Lincoln road about seven miles south of the city.

Krois was picked up by the train crew of the Mandan-Mott passenger and carried on to Schmidt. He was brought into the city from Schmidt via automobile. Krois told newspapermen that he was letting the car run slowly while he tried to light his pipe.

CITY ELECTION WARMS

With the time for filing of petitions for candidates due to close February 26, interest is awakening in the Mandan city election which will be held coincident to the presidential primary election March 18.

Terms of President H. L. Henke and Commissioners Nels Romer and J. B. Fredericks will expire and all three have declared they will be candidates to succeed themselves.

In addition H. A. Schmidt of the Red Trail Transfer Oil company has announced his candidacy for a com-

missionership and petitions are being circulated for Ben Anderson, local Northern Pacific yardmaster. Mr. Anderson advised the Pioneer recently that he had not yet made up his mind whether he would run or not.

In addition to the city commission-ship it is very probable that the voters of the city will be called upon to express themselves on the proposal to change the form of city government back from the commission to the aldermanic system. According to the city attorney a petition advocating such a change must have 40 percent of the voters at a last general election signed to get on the ballot.

Persons circulating the petitions claim to have nearly that figure.

ADVENTURE OF THE TWINS

BY OLIVE ROBERTS BARTON

Nick looked at the magic bean that Silver Wing had given him. It certainly didn't look magic. It looked like the dried beans that your mother buys at the grocery store for baking, or that little boys shoot through bean-shooters.

Where was the fairy that they had been talking to on the purple thistle only a minute before?

But there was the bean! There was no getting away from that. And, of course, they didn't want to get away from it, for hadn't Silver Wing said that it was the mate to Jack's bean, and that it would grow into a beanstalk just as his had if they would plant it?

"Come and get the magic shoes!" shouted Nick all at once. "The fairy said for us to look for the magic green shoes before we tried to climb the magic beanstalk. We'd better put them on at once, Nancy, so we will be ready when it begins to grow."

Away they scampered to the big stone under the chestnut-tree, and there, just as Silver Wing had said, stood the four little green scalloped shoes.

As soon as the shoes were on, Nick knelt down and made a little hole in the ground with a stick. Then he dropped the bean in and covered it up.

But scarcely had he gotten to his feet when the bean began to grow and an enormous green vine with a very thick stem shot up past them like a sky-rocket, straight for the sky.

"Come on, Nancy!" yelled Nick. "All aboard for Beanstalk Land, where the jolly giants live. I'll go first so if there are any bad places I can tell you."

They passed the tree tops and the clouds and it didn't seem to be more than two minutes and a half until they came to the place where the beanstalk spread out like a ceiling over their heads.

But there was an opening and they clambered through.

And to behold, there they were in Beanstalk Land!

It looked like any other country to the Twins' curious eyes—until they saw a figure coming down the road toward them—a person of such a size as never, never had it been their fortune to see. It was as though the church on the corner, steeples and all, had suddenly decided to take a stroll.

"Look!" exclaimed Nick, pointing. "It's one of the giants!"

The giant wore wooden shoes and they went clap, clap, clap when he set his feet down.

Down on earth it must have sounded like thunder.

"Oh, my! I hope he won't step on us," said Nancy, and she pulled Nick down behind a log.

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The Life Saver



"THIS INCOME-TAX BUSINESS IS THE BUNK - DAG NAB IT - YUH GOTTA WORRY AND SWEAT AND FRET AND FUME AND FIGURE AND CUSS AND"

"AND BY GOLLY I AIN'T GONNA WORRY ABOUT IT UNTIL THE VERY LAST MINUTE."



"OH OSCAR! DO HURRY AND DRESS, THE LADY'S LIBRARY LEAGUE IS ENTERTAINING THE MOST CHARMING POET TONIGHT AND WE JUST CAN'T MISS IT"



"NOTHIN' DOIN'! THE GOVERNMENT INSISTS THAT I FILL OUT MY INCOME-TAX BLANK AND I GOTTA DO IT TONIGHT!"

Dan Dobb's Daily

OH, WHAT A FUNNY NOTE!

MAY OFFER FORTUNE FOR A SONG

A wild New York rumor says a rich woman wants to buy a young girl's vocal cords so she can sing in grand opera. The vocal cords would be transplanted, just like a gland operation.

While there are many singers whose voices need amputating, we don't think these voices should be grafted on someone else.

If this woman wants to learn grand opera, or, as it might be called in this case, gland opera, why doesn't she buy a ranch and call the cows every night? That's the way a Texas girl learned.

Put It All Over the Politicians

The Teapot Dome has developed into quite a nice little scandal which promises to have a long run. Of course, if they really can't find any more scandals in Washington, we will have to keep worrying about Teapot Dome. But with so many good scandals there it seems foolish to spend the entire winter worrying about only one of them.

They do things much better in the movies and theatrical world. When a movie or theatrical scandal begins to pall they always have another one waiting for us.

SOCIETY

Spring styles are being shown. You see hats in the windows beautifully trimmed. The customers will be stylish this spring to pay reasonable prices. But this is nothing new. Reasonable prices are never stylish.

WEDDINGS

A Maine bride of three weeks wants a divorce. She claims she has been hugging a delusion.

DAN DOBB SAYS

If the rich woman buys some grand opera vocal cords many will hope she chokes.

EDITORIAL

Social butterflies have their troubles, sometimes shooting a man and sometimes being shot themselves. Many of them are social buds who did not want to blossom into wall flowers, so they flitted away from home as butterflies. The wall flower fades away, but the butterfly emulates the moth by having her wings singed. Midway between the two is the only safe course.

The Tangle

LETTER FROM JOHN ALDEN PRESCOTT TO SYDNEY CANTON, CONTINUED

You will be surprised, old man, when I tell you who is going to be my new secretary. She has told me she knew you quite well—Sally Atherton. I never met her, you know, but she was an old friend of my wife's and has lately been connected with the publicity department of Leslie's father's steel plant.

She has been having some trouble with her husband who, as far as I can see, is an egotistical cad, and wanted to get away from him. He also is working for Leslie's dad. Mrs. Atherton went to Mr. Hamilton and made a clean breast of it. When Leslie heard about it she arranged for her to come to me.

Did you know the woman well? She seems rather mystifying. I wanted to take her out to our house to dine the day she came and she would not let me do it. She said she would see Leslie later and then Leslie showed me a letter in which she insisted now that she was to be my secretary she must know us only in a business way.

She is a crackjack at her work, old man, and has already written some smashing copy. There are going to be some changes all along the line in our office and I am going to put her just as far toward the top as I can, provided she keeps on the way she has started.

But to get back to the Ellington affair. Leslie went to New York recently and I, coming in rather early one evening in her absence, found Ruth Ellington monkeying with Leslie's wall safe.

Of course I was much surprised, as Leslie had never allowed me to know the combination and I knew she kept many little things as well as money and jewels in that place she wanted no one to see. It did not seem right to me that my

wife should share her secrets with another woman while she kept them from me.

Rather prematurely I asked Ruth what she was doing, and she informed me she had just put a large sum of money in the safe that she hadn't wanted to keep in her room until banking hours the next morning. This money, she explained, was the result of the day's sales in a new lingerie shop she had just opened.

I let her think she put that over me, but when Leslie came home I demanded an explanation, demanded that she open the safe, which at first she refused. Finally she opened it and found the money Ruth had said she put in there.

I knew then that Ruth Ellington had given me some cock and bull story. I knew she could never have made six thousand dollars worth of sales during one day in that little shop of hers. Suddenly I thought I had hit upon the right solution. I told Leslie I thought this money must have been sent to Ruth by her absent husband, to be paid to me and others of his creditors. I promised her I would investigate the whole matter. In the meantime I forbade my wife to speak to Ruth Ellington again until the whole thing was explained satisfactorily.

I might just as well have been talking to a side of the wall as far as my wishes were concerned because Leslie absolutely refused to give up her friend, and there the matter stands.

At present she has not given up her friend and I have not given up the money. We are in a deadlock over it. Leslie will make no explanation why she gave the combination of her safe to Ruth Ellington and refused it to me, and nothing I can say has any effect upon her.

If it were not that my business was running along very smoothly

BLACK OXEN

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"They will go to your house if you invite them, no doubt of that; and they may conceive an enthusiastic liking for you. But after all, you would not be one of them. Even though they genuinely appreciated your accomplishments, still you would be little more than an interesting incident. They are workers, engaged in doing the things they think most worth while—which are worth while because they furnish what the intelligent public is demanding just now, and upon which the current market places a high value. And you are merely an intellectual young woman of leisure. They might think it a pity you didn't have to work, but secretly, no matter what their regard, they'd consider you negligible because you belong to a class that is content to be, not to do. I assure you they consider themselves the most important group in New York—in America—at present: the life-giving group of persons round which far-off planets humbly revolve."

"I see. You mean that my novelty would wear thin long before theirs. Heaven knows I have little to give them. I should feel rather ashamed sitting at the head of my table offering nothing but terrapin and Gobelins. But don't you think I could make real friends of some of them? Surely we would find much in common to talk about—and they certainly take time to play, according to Uncle Din."

"I think there would always be a barrier. . . . Ah! I have an idea. Why don't you set up a studio and take your painting seriously? Cut yourself off from the old life and join the ranks of the real workers? Then, by degrees, they would accept you as a matter of course. You could return their hospitality in your studio, which would be one of the largest—there's no danger of overwhelming them; they are too successful themselves. Think it over."

Miss Goodrich's face, which had been so pale, now glowed.

"No," she said hurriedly. "I never bore myself. I understood these were your intellectual Chateaus. Spelling matches? Words in the hat! It sounds like a small town moved to New York."

"Well, a good many of them are from small towns and they rather pride themselves on preserving some of the simplicities of rural life and juvenescence, while leading an exaggerated mental life for which nature designed no man. Perhaps it is merely owing to an obscure warning to preserve the balance. Or an innocent arrogance akin to Mrs. Oglesby's when she is looking her dowdiest. . . . But Gora often has good music. . . . still, if you don't want to go on I'm sure I do not."

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Not a single drama has been written in Germany since the war which Paul Fechter, of the Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung, regards as a true expression of the times. He has high praise for young actors who recently developed in Germany, particularly Eugene Kloepper, Werner Krauss, Agnes Straub and Elizabeth Deger, but says they are all compelled to fall back on old standard plays, and to move from theater to theater in order to find opportunity to display their varied talents.

Fechter says the German public is disgusted with the new expressionistic style of modern dramas and is turning back to nature and life. The return of the young dramatists, Bert Brecht, Arnold Bronnen and Alfred Brust, to the natural presentation of the lives of men and women is a hopeful sign, in Fechter's opinion, although he confesses that the work of these dramatists is rather crude. He thinks the German novelists, such as Jacob Wassermann and Thomas Mann, and the poets, Stefan George, Franz Werfel and Carl Sternheim, give a far more truthful picture of the spiritual life of Germany of today than do the dramatists.

Leopold Jessner, director of the State Play House in Berlin, is of the opinion that the German theater will do well to battle against the American star system, and devote itself to ensemble work. He says many German actors prefer artistic standing to great salaries, and in this spirit he believes, the German theater will and a great asset for its development.

The lack in Berlin audiences of foreigners from countries where the exchange is good was a hard blow to the German theater in 1923, as well as to the cinemas. Unemployment has been great in theatrical circles. Actors and actresses have taken up side professions, and not a few have been compelled to avail themselves of seats offered in various centers to professional people in reduced circumstances. Many actors have deserted the legitimate stage and gone into vaudeville and cabaret work, which is far more remunerative than the legitimate stage.

But members of companies in the legitimate theaters and operas are not allowed to supplement their wages by engagements in variety houses and cabarets. Some of them have been permitted to accept engagements in the moving pictures, but the production end of the moving picture industry has recently taken a terrible toll in Germany. Costs of production got above world costs, and there was a great inflation in the trade that not long since it collapsed.

NEED FUND SACKER
Unless Detroit finds a capable second sacker, there is hardly a chance for Cobb to finish as high as second this year.

MARANVILLE ON MARKET
Maranville is almost certain to be traded by Pittsburgh before the opening of the season.

STAR HAS EYE TROUBLE
Pie Traynor, star third baseman of the Pittsburgh club, is said to be having serious trouble with his eyes.

McGRAW LIKES BENTLEY
McGraw banks on Southpaw Jack Bentley to be a big winner this year.

WITT MAY RETIRE
Whitney Witt, outfielder of the New York Yankees, is said to be seriously considering quitting the game. Witt has saved his money and won't need a benefit.

Sport and Tailored



Not every suit for this season is strictly tailored. Here is a combination of a sport and tailored model that combines the best points of each and achieves a winning effect. The material is navy cashmere and the stripes are of white kid.

The Peter Pan collar and the unusual cuffs are not only youthful, but are unusual. According to the formula of this season, all thought is lavished on the coat, and the skirt is straight, narrow and short.

MEN PAY TAXES WILLINGLY!
In Country's Largest Revenue District FOR WOMAN IS COLLECTOR



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Chicago, Feb. 18. "Good heaven! You can't have a woman revenue collector. You've got to have a man, and a two-fisted, hard-boiled man at that."

So said the politicians last spring when it was suggested that the first lady collector, Mrs. Mabel Gilmore Reinecke, young, pretty, brown-eyed and blond-haired, be named successor to the collector who had just died. But she was appointed.

She succeeded then, in the district having the largest number of income tax payers in the United States, to increase tax collections more than 20 per cent for her first year. The increase is explainable partly by improved business conditions, but the features how the new collector was not letting the evaluators escape.

"When men come in to check to make payments, they and the system are against them," explains Mrs. Reinecke, and she notes that her first raid is a pretty coppery red. "The law is a vast lot to get the money. It's strong law, and the collector, even if she is a woman."

"Very few men, though, have tried to take advantage of me because I am a woman. There is something about dealing with a woman which makes most men a little more considerate and reasonable. And it would surprise you to see how much respect most people have for the government."

Mrs. Reinecke learned politics when her father was state committeeman in the Bull Moose organization, and at secret meetings the wife-pullers would call for "girl power" and she would take shorthand notes. Then she worked for a year in the county tax assessor's office and has been active in war work, in the suffrage movement and in political drives.

"It is away ahead of housekeeping," she admits. "Every day brings thrills. And I like it."

WORRIED ABOUT FABER

Frank Chance is much concerned as to the condition of Red Faber, his star pitcher. Faber, after the last six weeks of the 1923 season, then turned in a great game in the city series with the Cubs.

CAP AND RIBBON

Some of the newest and smartest hats are not much more than a cap with a twist of ribbon falling off one side. They are very neatly over the close shingle bob.

LAW ON DISCIPLINE

Law as to discipline is said to be the real reason for the break between Kid Gleason, former manager of the White Sox, and Owner Comiskey.

WHITE GLOVES GO

Gray or light tan gloves have almost replaced the white ones that were once the true touch of elegance to a woman's costume.

HARD-HITTING COMBINATION

The fact that the Baltimore team of the International League had a combined batting average of .310 is proof why the club finished in first place.

DECORATIVE SCARFS

There are many things you can do with the decorative scarfs of this season. In many cases they form the only decoration allowed on the straight tube-like frocks.

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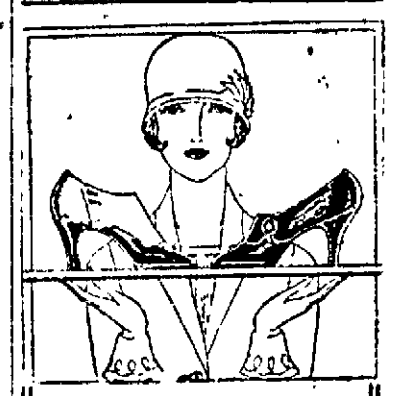
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Large patch pockets appear on the mannish sport coats and on the flannel skirts for spring.

WHITE IS FAVORITE
Leading the color card for spring is white, next black, then yellow and green, after which you may follow your own discretion.

LETTER OR FLOWERS
Instead of a motif of a conventional motif of colorful flowers or fruits may appear on the left front of the fashionable sport frock.

CRETONNE FACING
A very distinctive frock of blue taffeta is faced with cretonne having a pattern of crimson roses on a cream-colored ground.

TOUCH OF BLACK
A stunning suit of white flannel is outlined at every edge with a fine black silk braid.

WILL COACH PITCHERS
Ed Walsh, famous pitcher of other days, will probably be used by Manager Frank Chance of the Chicago White Sox as coach for the young pitchers.

DRAMATIC FORCE LACKING

Berlin, Feb. 18.—Acting, stage management and production have improved greatly in Germany since the war in the opinion of most German dramatic critics, but the quality of the new plays written in Germany since the armistice has not kept pace with the other branches of theatrical activity.

Not a single drama has been written in Germany since the war which Paul Fechter, of the Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung, regards as a true expression of the times. He has high praise for young actors who recently developed in Germany, particularly Eugene Kloeffer, Werner Krauss, Agnes Straub and Elizabeth Krausner, but says they are all compelled to fall back on old standard plays, and to move from theater to theater in order to find opportunity to display their varied talents.

Fechter says the German public is disgusted with the new expressionistic style of modern dramas and is turning back to nature and life. The return of the young dramatists, Bert Brecht, Arnold Bronnen and Alfred Brust, to the natural presentation of the lives of men and women is a hopeful sign, in Fechter's opinion, although he confesses that the work of these dramatists is rather crude. He thinks the German novelists, such as Jacob Wassermann and Thomas Mann, and the poets, Stefan George, Franz Werfel and Carl Sternheim, give a far more truthful picture of the spiritual life of Germany of today than do the dramatists.

Leopold Jessner, director of the State Play House in Berlin, is of the opinion that the German theater will do well to battle against the American star system, and devote itself to ensemble work. He says many German actors prefer artistic standing to great salaries, and in this spirit, he believes, the German theater will find a great asset for its development.

The lack in Berlin audiences of foreigners from countries where the exchange is good was a hard blow to the German theater in 1923, as well as to the cinemas. Unemployment has been great in theatrical circles. Actors and actresses have taken up side professions, and not a few have been compelled to avail themselves of seats offered in various centers to professional people in reduced circumstances. Many actors have deserted the legitimate stage and gone into vaudeville and cabaret work, which is far more remunerative than the legitimate stage.

Members of companies in the state theaters and operas are not allowed to supplement their wages by engagements in variety houses and cabarets. Some of them have been permitted to accept engagements in the moving pictures, but the producing end of the moving picture industry has recently taken a terrible slump in Germany. Costs of production got above world costs, and there was so much inflation in the trade that not long since it collapsed.

NEED SECOND SACKER

Unless Detroit lands a capable second sacker, there is hardly a chance for Cobb to finish as high as second this year.

MARANVILLE ON MARKET
Maranville is almost certain to be traded by Pittsburgh before the opening of the season.

STAR HAS EYE TROUBLE
Pie Traynor, star third baseman of the Pittsburgh club, is said to be having serious trouble with his eyes.

McGRAW LIKES BENTLEY
McGraw banks on Southpaw Jack Bentley to be a big winner this year.

WITT MAY RETIRE
Whitey Witt, outfielder of the New York Yankees, is said to be seriously considering quitting the game. Witt has saved his money and won't need a benefit.

Sport and Tailored



Not every suit for this season is strictly tailored. Here is a combination of a sport and tailored model that combines the best points of each and achieves a charming originality. The material is navy charmeuse and the stripes are of white kid.

The Peter Pan collar and the unusual cuffs are not only youthful, but are unusual.

According to the formula of this season, all thought is lavished on the coat, and the skirt is straight, narrow and short.

MEN PAY TAXES WILLINGLY! In Country's Largest Revenue District FOR WOMAN IS COLLECTOR



MRS. MABEL G. REINECKE

BY GEORGE BRITT.

NEA Service Writer.

Chicago, Feb. 18.—"Good heavens! You can't have a woman revenue collector. You've got to have a man, and a two-fisted, hard-boiled man at that."

So said the politicians last spring when it was suggested that the first deputy collector, Mrs. Mabel Gilmore Reinecke, young, pretty, brown-eyed and blond-haired, be named successor to the collector who had just died. But she was appointed.

She proceeded then, in the district having the largest number of income tax payers in the United States, to increase tax collections more than 20 per cent for her first year. The increase is explainable partly by improved business conditions, but the figures show the new collector was not letting the evaders escape.

"When men come in seeking to dodge payments, they find the system is against them," explains Mrs. Reinecke, and one notices that her blond hair is almost a coppery red. "The law is devised to get the money. It strengthens the hand of the collector, even if she is a woman."

"Very few men, though, have tried to take advantage of me because I am a woman. There is something about dealing with a woman which makes most men a little more considerate and reasonable. And it would surprise you to see how much respect most people have for the government."

Mrs. Reinecke learned politics when her father was a commit-tee man in the Bull Moose organization, and at secret meetings the wire-pullers would call for "Gilmore's daughter" to take shorthand notes. Then she worked for a year in the county tax assessor's office and had been active in war work in the suffrage movement and in political drives.

"It is away ahead of housekeeping," she admits. "Every day brings thrills. And I like it."

WORRIED ABOUT FABER

Frank Chance was much concerned as to the condition of Red Faber, his star pitcher. Faber ailed the last six weeks of the 1923 season, then turned in a great game in the city series with the Cubs.

CAP AND RIBBON

Some of the newest and smartest hats are not much more than a cap with a twist of ribbon falling off one side. They fit very neatly over the close single boots.

LAW ON DISCIPLINE

Laxity as to discipline is said to be the real reason for the break between Kid Gleason, former manager of the White Sox, and Owner Comiskey.

WHITE GLOVES GO

Gray or light tan gloves have almost replaced the white ones that were once the true touch of elegance to a woman's costume.

HARD-HITTING COMBINATION

The fact that the Baltimore team of the International League had a combined batting average of .310 is proof why the club finished in first place.

DECORATIVE SCARFS

There are many things you can do with the decorative scarfs of this season. In many cases they form the only decoration allowed on the straight tube-like frocks.

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its borders this spring. Some compliment to the climate of that state.

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UP TO THE PUBLIC
Complaint upon costs of education in this and other states should not be directed solely against educators. In a large way the patrons of the schools are often to blame. Their motives also are worthy for the aim in most instances is to secure better service from the public schools, but that costs money.

The Bismarck Board of Education must face the problem along with all school officials of cutting away the frills which may be desirable adjuncts to the school program but in view of mounting costs more than the taxpayers can stand. It would work a hardship to prune salaries of teachers. The average monthly salary paid teachers in Bismarck is less than that paid janitors. Surely there can be little curtailing in that direction.

But after a careful study there may be features of the school work that can be eliminated without injuring the school system.

Another policy must be decided upon and that is the limiting of registration at the High School. Admittance of non-resident students has placed an extra burden upon taxpayers. The fee for tuition should be large enough to care for the cost of the service and if this plan is not feasible registration should be restricted to the actual capacity.

While the High School is over crowded now, if non-resident students were eliminated there would be room for all resident students. Under the present plan the Bismarck Board of Education does not get in fees and state aid what it costs the city to educate non-resident students, some of whom come from counties other than Burleigh. This problem must be solved too in view of mounting costs.

In the agitation for lower prices, however, it is well to tackle the most glaring expenditures before depriving children of educational facilities. There can be slashes in state payrolls, elimination of costly experiments in socialism which would reduce taxes at once, for future levies.

What are we going to do this year about reducing tax levies to be raised next year?

Millions can be lopped from state and local budgets in North Dakota if there is the courage to do so. But let's start with the non-essentials and not with the women and children via the slashing of educational budgets.

HOW MANY STEAL?
How many of the people, whom you pass on the streets, are absolutely honest? "Four out of five," answers Solomon Ulmer. He recently demonstrated this by an odd experiment.

Ulmer, head of a mortgage company in Cleveland, is raising money for a new tuberculosis sanitarium in Los Angeles. He picked 1000 names at random from his local city directory. To each of these he mailed this letter, with a \$1 bill enclosed:

You can keep this dollar if you want to, but we hope you won't. We hope you'll send it and another one to me as your subscription to the fund. We believe everyone is really kind and generous. We are investing \$1000 to prove that belief. Have we made a good investment? What is your answer? Out of the 1000 who received a letter and \$1 bill, 600 returned the dollar with at least one more, 200 sent the dollar back alone, and 200 kept the dollar.

The 200, of course, are not dishonest as the law views such things. They were told they could keep the dollar if they preferred. But an appeal was made to them in a good cause and they were put on their honor to repay.

At any rate, at least four out of five are absolutely honest, and three out of five are generous as well as honest.

Cases like this give us renewed confidence in our fellow-men at large—especially the strangers whose elbows brush ours on the street.

As you follow the daily news and read of hold-ups, confidence games, swindles and burglary, maybe you occasionally get the notion that the world reeks with dishonesty.

Not so. The dishonest cases are the exceptions. That's why they are news—a record of the unusual. Honesty is so common and general, that cases of it are not news.

VALUE OF FAT

The famous Parisian dressmaker, Mme. Madeline Voinet, visits New York and comments: "It's a pity that all American women want to be thin. They lose something when they force flesh away—the freshness is lost and they are almost certain to have a haggard appearance which no amount of youthful clothes can disguise. It's a pity to go against nature. I believe in being natural."

One answer to this is that it isn't natural for a woman to get too fat, any more than it's natural for her to get too thin. The womanly attempt to be thin is more than a fashionable urge. It reflects a desire for health, activity and grace.

"It's a pity to go against nature. I believe in being natural," says Mme. Voinet. A large part of our generation wears a mask. It hides its real self. It apes others—tries to live up to standards beyond its income—even affecting the strut and shrug of movie stars.

When a person is not absolutely natural, frankly and bluntly just what God made him, it's an admission that he's ashamed of himself. Great personalities are always natural, never masked.

WANT ANY WILD ANIMALS?

Want to buy a lion? The animal companies will go into the jungles of Africa, catch and deliver a lion to you for \$500. Tigers are listed lately at \$1000 apiece, elephants as low as \$2500.

The elephant quotation interests orientals as much as auto prices interest us. Many centuries are bridged in this contrast. And the auto dumbfounds the out-of-the-way oriental as much as the jungle beasts fascinate us.

EDITORIAL REVIEW

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A STRANGE WAY TO HONOR HARDING'S MEMORY

The mud which Frank A. Vanderlip threw at the reputation of the late President Harding did not stick. Testifying before the Senate oil investigating committee recently, Mr. Vanderlip admitted that he had done nothing but repeat a sordid rumor of the sort that is always being bandied about concerning public men.

"Substantially, I said in my speech that there were rumors coming from Washington which went beyond gossip," the witness told the committee. "I believed that out of respect to President Harding's memory this scandal, for I believe it scandal, should be coldly looked at."

And that was all he could say! The absurd baselessness of that part of Mr. Vanderlip's speech in which he had looked under the edge of a shroud is further emphasized by the ignorance which he displayed in another part of his speech, when he assumed that the reason the Senate committee had not insisted that Mr. Fall testify was that the members were afraid he would incriminate others of high importance.

Mr. Vanderlip admitted to the committee that he did not know that Mr. Fall had been summoned and had refused to testify on the ground that his testimony might tend to incriminate others. Every newspaper in the country carried the news, which was everywhere of first-page performance. Yet the news was unread by a man who presumes to be sufficiently informed to instruct his countrymen, to denounce Senators, and to impute dishonesty to a dead President!

Mr. Vanderlip had nothing to tell in contrast to him was Louis H. Brush, one of the two publishers who purchased the Marion Star from President Harding. Mr. Vanderlip had referred to Mr. Brush and his associate as two young men of no financial standing. Mr. Brush testified that he had known Mr. Harding for twenty-five years, and that, in addition to his half interest in the Star, he owned practically all the stock in three other Ohio newspapers and a small interest in another in New York State.

The price paid was \$380,000, instead of the \$550,000 of which Mr. Vanderlip spoke, and Mr. Brush gave details to show that neither he nor his associate borrowed any money except from their own bank loans. Vanderlip's charges have fallen flat. They would be merely ridiculous if they were not also a tremendous wrong. They wronged the reputation of the late President. They wronged Mrs. Harding and the present publishers of the Marion Star. And above all, they wronged the country, for they raised in the minds of millions of Americans a baseless suspicion that a President of the United States has been bribed.

A strange way, indeed, to honor Harding's memory!—Chicago Journal of Commerce.

MANDAN NEWS

WELL KNOWN PIONEER DIES

Funeral services will be held this afternoon from the Lutheran church at Sims. Rev. Larson of Taylor officiating, for Fred Holritz, aged 75, who died early Friday morning at the home of his son, Andrew Holritz, of Almont.

Deceased was born in Christiania, Norway, Sept. 3, 1848 and came to the United States in 1867 making his home until 1870 at St. Louis, Mo. He was one of the first settlers to take up a homestead near Minnesota in Lyons county, Minn., in 1870, and was married there in 1874 to Miss Louise Anderson.

On September 13, 1888, Mr. Holritz brought his family to Morton county and located at Sims where he operated a general store which he conducted until when he retired from the business and moved to Almont, living there until 1912 when he returned to Sims following the death of his wife in 1911.

Mr. Holritz was one of the best known of the early settlers in the county and was respected by a wide acquaintance. He had held numerous village and township positions and served in the house of representatives at two terms of the state legislature—1891, 1893.

Four children survive, Mrs. Gus T. Olson, for many years a resident of Mandan and now living at Fargo; E. A. Holritz of Carson, former county auditor; E. C. Holritz of county auditor; and Andrew Holritz of Almont. Another daughter, Mrs. M. N. Anderson of Hillsboro died Nov. 11, 1922. All four children were with him when death came.

Joe Krois, well known farmer who lives sixteen miles south of the city in the hospital with severe cuts about the head and face as a result of an auto spill about five o'clock Friday afternoon on the Ft. Lincoln road about seven miles south of the city.

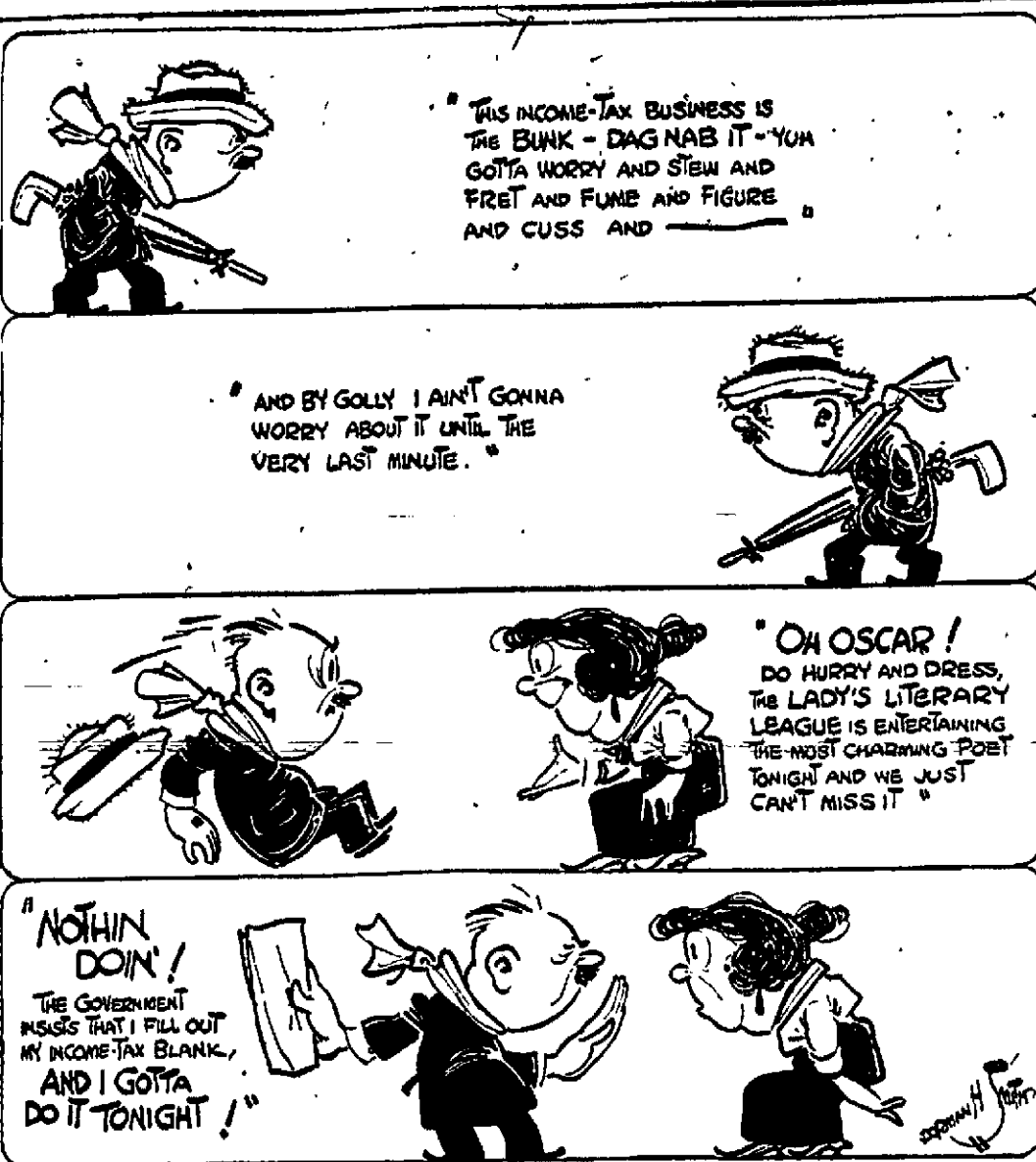
Krois was picked up by the train crew of the Mandan-Mott passenger and carried on to the hospital. He was brought into the city from Schmidt via automobile. Krois told the physician that he was letting the car run slowly while he tried to light his pipe.

CITY ELECTION WARMS

With the time for filing of petitions for candidates due to close February 15, the city election which will be held coincident to the presidential primary election March 15.

Terms of President H. L. Henke and Commissioners Nels Romer and J. B. Fredericks will expire, and all three have declared they will be candidates to succeed them. E. A. Schmidt of the Red Trail Transfer Oil company has announced his candidacy for a com-

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Dan Dobb's Daily

OH, WHAT A FUNNY NOTE!

MAY OFFER FORTUNE FOR A SONG

A wild New York rumor says a rich woman wants to buy a young girl's vocal cords so she can sing in this case, gland opera, why doesn't she buy a ranch and call the cows every night? That's the way a Texas girl learned.

ADVENTURE OF THE TWINS

Nick looked at the magic bean that Silver Wing had given him. It certainly didn't look magic. It looked like the dried beans that your mother buys at the grocery store for baking, or that little boys shoot through bean-shooters.

ACCIDENTS

Chorus girls get \$50,000 for a broken heart and an Ohio man got only \$500 for a broken leg.

FOREIGN NEWS

Germany is restricting the output of beer, the effort to restrict the intake having failed.

FINANCES

Too much money makes you unhappy—if a neighbor has it.

WEATHER

Only a few more weeks in which to cuss winter.

LETTER FROM JOHN ALDEN PRESCOTT TO SYDNEY CARTON, CONTINUED

You will be surprised, old man, when I tell you I am going to be my new secretary. She has told me she knew you quite well—Sally Atherton. I never met her, you know, but she was an old friend of my wife's and has lately been connected with the publicity department of Leslie's father's steel plant.

She has been having some trouble with her husband who, as far as I can see, is an egotistical cad, and wanted to get away from him. He also is working for Leslie's dad. Mrs. Atherton went to Mr. Hamilton and made a clean breast of it. When Leslie heard about it she arranged for her to come to me.

Did you know the woman well? She seems rather mystifying. I wanted to take her out to our house to dine the day she came and she would not let me do it. She said she would see Leslie later and then Leslie showed me a letter in which she insisted now that she was to be my secretary she must know us only in a business way.

She is a crackpot at her work, old man, and has already written some smashing copy. There are going to be some changes all along the line in our office and I am going to put her just as far toward the top as I can, provided she keeps on the way she has started.

But to get back to the Ellington matter, Leslie went to New York recently and I, coming in rather early one evening in her absence, found Seth Ellington monkeying with Leslie's wall safe. Of course I was much surprised, as Leslie had never allowed me to know the combination and I knew she kept many little things as well as money and jewels in that place she wanted no one to see. It did not seem right to me that my



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XXVII (Continued)
"They will go to your house if you invite them, no doubt of that; and they may conceive an enthusiastic liking for you. But after all, you would not be one of them. Even though they genuinely appreciated your accomplishments, still you would be little more than an interesting incident. They are workers, engaged in doing the things they think most worth while—which are worth while because they furnish what the intelligent public is demanding just now, and upon which the current market places a high value. And you are merely an intellectual young woman of leisure. They might think it a pity you didn't have to work, but secretly, no matter what their regard, they'd consider you negligible because you belong to a class that is content to be, not to do. I assure you they consider themselves the most important group in New York—in America—at present; the life-giving group of suns round which far-off planets humbly revolve."

XXVIII
He called for Madame Zattiany at ten o'clock. The time she was standing in the hall as the man opened the door, and she came out immediately. A face scar almost concealed her face.

"I didn't order the car," she said. "It is so dark a fine night, and she lives so near. Do you mind?"

"If much prefer to walk, but your slippers—"

"They are dark and the heels not too high."

"I'm not going to make the slightest preliminary attempt at indifference tonight, nor wait for one of your leads. How long do you intend to stay at this party?"

"Oh, an hour, possibly. One must not be rude. Her own tones were not even, but he could not see her face."

"But you'll keep your word and tell me everything tonight?"

She gave a deep sigh. "Yes, I'll keep my word. No more now—please! . . . Tell me, what do they do at these parties besides talk—dance?"

"Not always. They have charades, spelling matches, pick a word out of a hat and make impromptu speeches—"

"But Mon dieu! She stopped short and pushed back her scarf. Whatever expression she may have wished to conceal there was nothing now in her face but dismay.

"But you did not tell me this or I should not have accepted. I never bore myself. I understood these were your intellectuals. Charades! Spelling matches! Words in the hat! It sounds like a small town moved to New York."

"Well, a good many of them are from small towns and they rather pride themselves on preserving some of the simplicities of rural life and juvenescence, which, leading an exaggerated mad life for which nature designed no man. Perhaps it is merely owing to an obscure warning to preserve the balance. Or an innocent abrogance skin to Mrs. Ogilthorpe's when she is looking her dowdiest. . . . But Gora often has good music still, if you don't want to go on, I'm sure I do not."

"No," she said hurriedly.

Miss Goodrich's face, which had looked melancholy, almost hopeful, lit up again. Her red mouth lifted at the corners, light seemed to pour into her hazel eyes. "Do it!" she exclaimed. "I did a portrait of father last month and it really is good. He is delighted with it, and you know how easy he is to please! I wonder I never thought of it before. You certainly are the most resourceful man in the world—Leo—by the way, I hear there is a party at that wonderful Gora Dwight's tonight. Do take me."

"Oh! . . . I'm so sorry. It's quite impossible. Anne, I wish I could. But I'll take you to one next week. And meanwhile get to work. Be ready to meet them in the outer court at eight. You'll find it an immense advantage—rob your advent of any suggestion of curiosity."

"I'll look for a studio tomorrow. That is the way I do things—my father's daughter, you see."

She spoke with gay determination, but her face had fallen again. In a moment she began to draw on her gloves. "Now I'll have to run if I'm to dress and get over to Old Westbury for dinner at eight. Thank you so much, Leo, you've been a godsend. If I were a writer instead of a mere dabbler in paints, I'd dedicate my first book to you. I'm so sorry I haven't time to drive you down to Madison Square."

Clavering, drawing a long breath as if he had escaped from imminent danger, saw her into her car and then walked briskly home. He intended to dine alone tonight.

And Heavy One, Too! His wife had a cold, and could not go to church. But she insisted that he should go in her place. "Well," she inquired on his return, "and what was the burden of the vicar's sermon?" He sat down with a weary sigh. "All of it, my dear," he said.

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Sports

NEW SALEM IN NINTH VICTORY

New Salem, N. D., Feb. 18.—New Salem capped its ninth victory in fourteen starts when it defeated the fast Hazen quint here. It was Hazen's second defeat of the year. The game started with a rush and after a minute of play Jones of New Salem dropped the ball through for a counter. Hazen followed with a field goal. Then Jones dropped in another but this advantage was quickly overcome. Buman, New Salem center, rang up another counter. From this time on New Salem continued increasing their lead. The quarter ended New Salem 12, Hazen 6. Hazen did not get a field goal after the first quarter. They were held scoreless until the last two minutes of play when they connected for three fowl throws. The score at the end of the first half was New Salem 17, Hazen 6. The final score was 21 to 9. Jones and Buman starred for New Salem, each connecting for field goals five times. Gander did some excellent passing, assisting Jones and Buman in their driving offense. The guards, Schwartz and Keller, kept their men covered well. It was difficult for Hazen to get through the New Salem defense and the few shots they did not connect. The Hazen center was the outstanding man on their team.

MANDAN WINS BOWLING MATCH

The Mandan city bowling team defeated Bismarck bowlers Saturday night, after several tries. The scores:

MANDAN	
Wertz	150 158 197
Johnson	150 168 182
Tatta	135 161 167
Svan	172 153 205
Owens	169 139 169
Total	2495
BISMARCK	
L. Klein	220 152 173
F. Hannel	141 141 139
T. Schneider	190 135 181
A. Schneider	156 171 123
C. E. Thomas	153 190 189
Total	2456

Tender's Weight Low
Despite the fact that Low Tender announced some months ago that he would devote the rest of his fighting days to meeting welterweights, the Philadelphia southpaw weighed only 135 1/2 pounds for his recent bout with Ray Mitchell.

Billy Evans Says

What may seem to be a difficult fielding feat, because of the rarity with which it is performed, does not always hold true. For instance, take the triple play, unassisted. Since the inauguration of major league baseball the play has been made only five times. Peculiarly enough, the feat was performed twice last season, both times in Boston. Unquestionably the triple play, unassisted, is decidedly rare but not necessarily difficult.

It is obvious, that for one player to retire the side by making a triple play, unassisted, the whole situation must be more or less made to order.

It so happened that I was the umpire in the game at Boston last summer in which First Baseman George Burns of the Boston club made his unassisted triple play. It is something of a coincidence that Burns turned the trick against Cleveland, the club he is to play with this year. The play came with runners on first and second and Cleveland trailing by several runs. On the hit and run, the batter knocked a line drive directly into Burns' hands. He touched out the runners going to second and then beat the runner originally on second back to that base.

As I waved the third man out, Burns, with a smile playing over his face, turned to me and remarked: "Is there any one else I can touch to make it four?"

Burns will tell you that during his career in the major leagues that he has made hundreds of plays far more difficult than his unassisted triple play, yet that is the one play that will go down into records, and stick there long after Burns as a player has been forgotten. The really commendable feature in making a triple play, unassisted, is not the execution of the play but rather the alertness of the mind in grasping the possibilities. The slightest fraction of a second delay on such a play would make impossible the successful completion.

At I watched Burns make history that afternoon at Boston, the thing that I marveled at far more than the execution of the play was the way his mind grasped the situation.

The third and final out at second base was a rather close decision. Had Burns hesitated but slightly in his intention, the play would have failed to go over. Invariably in a triple play, unassisted, it is the mental features—rather than the physical execution—that is deserving of praise. Of course, such a play provides a big thrill for the spectator, but from a playing angle there is seldom anything difficult about it. The play simply must be made to order to go over.

SORE THROAT
Gargle with warm salt water—then apply over throat—
VICKS
Vapo-Rub
Over 17 Million Jars Used Yearly

WORLD CHAMP!



Mila Szabo-Plank (above), Austrian champion figure skater, won final honors at Chamonix, when she defeated the American skater, Beatrice Laughman.

First Year in Big Ten, He Leads All Scorers

By NEA Service.

Columbus, O., Feb. 18.—At an age when most youths are just beginning to get accustomed to long trousers, "Cookie" Cunningham, center on Ohio State's basketball team, is leading the Big Ten in individual scoring.

Although it is his first season and despite the fact that he is only 18 years of age, Cunningham is well in the Van among the individual scorers. What makes his achievement that all the more remarkable is that he has played in fewer games than some of his rivals and is playing in a new position.

As the star player on the Mt. Vernon (O.) high school basketball quintet several years ago Cunningham held down a guard job. Playing in the national tournament at Chicago in 1922 he was hailed as an All-American intercollegiate player.

Following the close of the 1923 football season in which he won his "O" as an end on Ohio State's eleven, Cunningham turned out for basketball and immediately made good at center.

In five Big Ten contests Cunningham has tallied 66 points. In 10 games so far this season he has registered 117 points.

Cunningham stands 6 feet 2 1/2 inches and weighs 185 pounds.

The Nut Cracker

Your modern fight champion appears to operate on the belief that he should be heard and not seen.

A New York suit and cloak maker is said to be back of the Firpo-Willis fight. Just how far back is not stated.

"It doesn't take much of an average to make an average man," Col. Hickory Knutt.

Washington has landed a second Babe Ruth. This reminds us that it takes no great amount of ability to finish second in a two-man race.

President of National League is astonished that Owner Comiskey received no support from the public in suit brought by Joe Jackson to recover \$18,500. Maybe the fact that the public was not being sued had something to do with it.

We are not surprised to hear that a tenor singer is making good in the prize ring. It has been a

Speaker, however, was willing to gamble with Ehmk, believing that he had greater possibilities.

Cleveland the year previous had won the American League pennant. The dope was that if Speaker could bolster up his pitching staff he had a good chance to repeat. The Cleveland manager felt that he could make Ehmk into a winner, that he might mean another pennant.

Cobb must have got the same thought about the same time, for he called the deal off just when it seemed settled. And for two years he carried Ehmk, who was nothing more than excess baggage, fearing that under Speaker Ehmk would come through, thereby besmirching Cobb's prestige.

What is more, Cleveland didn't win the pennant in 1921. And shortly after Cobb called off the deal Morton lost his winning ways.

OPENING OF THE OLYMPIC GAMES



Flags of all nations saluted when Olympic games opened at Chamonix, France.

Thus explaining why he matched Moran with Willard.

There can no longer be any doubt that Harry Willis is a great heavy-weight. He has taken up golf.

Ohio State has started winter football practice. Snowing the scrubs under will naturally be easier now than ever.

The sport rews of the day is horribly incomplete. Not one promoter has stepped forward to offer \$500,000 for a Firpo-Whoozit fight.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE

Notice is hereby given, that certain mortgage, executed and delivered by Francis E. Young, a single man, Mortgagor, to Investors Mortgage Security Company, Inc., Mortgagee, dated the 18th day of March, 1920, and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Burleigh, State of North Dakota, on the 31st day of March, 1920, and recorded in Book 90 of Mortgages on page 240, (and thereafter assigned by said mortgagee to Rebecca G. Winslow, of Jamestown, North Dakota, which assignment was filed and recorded on the 9th day of September, 1920 in the office of the Register of Deeds of said Burleigh county, State of North Dakota, in book 155 of Assignments on page 195), will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises in such mortgage and hereinafter described at the front door of the Court House in the City of Bismarck, in the County of Burleigh and State of North Dakota, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, on the 18th day of March, A. D. 1924, to satisfy the amount due upon said mortgage on the day of sale. The premises described in said mortgage, and which will be sold to satisfy the same, are described as follows:

The Southeast Quarter (SE 1/4) of Section Thirty-three (33) in Township One Hundred Thirty-nine (139), North of Range number Seventy-seven (77), west of the Fifth Principal Meridian, Burleigh County, North Dakota, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the United States Government Survey thereof.

There will be due on said mortgage on the date of sale the sum of Twenty-five Hundred Ninety-two and 62/100 Dollars (\$2592.62) as principal and interest and includes \$337.82 taxes paid December 24, 1923, and in addition thereto there will be added costs incurred by foreclosure and attorney fees.

No other action or proceeding at law or in equity has been instituted to recover payment of said debt, notes secured by said mortgage. By reason of default in payment of interest and taxes mortgagee elects to declare and does declare the whole of said mortgage due. Pursuant to Attorney to foreclose said mortgage has been issued by said Rebecca G. Winslow, owner of said mortgage and the undersigned attorney-in-fact, the foreclosure of said mortgage, which Power of Attorney was, or will be, filed and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said county.

Dated February 12, 1924.
REBECCA G. WINSLOW,
Owner and holder of said mortgage.
KNAUF & KNAUF,
Attorney for the owner and holder of said mortgage,
Jamestown, N. D.
2-4-11-18-25-3-3-10

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE

Notice is hereby given that certain mortgage, executed and delivered by Leslie S. Hackney and Lillie M. Hackney, his wife, mortgagors, to Hackney Land Credit Company, a corporation of St. Paul, Minnesota, Mortgagee, dated the 1st day of November 1919 and filed for record in the office of the register of deeds of the County of Burleigh and state of North Dakota on the 12th day of November 1919 and recorded in Book "98" of Mortgages, on page 80, and assigned by said mortgagee to Thomas Howieson, by assignment dated Nov. 25th, 1919 and recorded in said office of the register of deeds on November 17th, 1920, in Book "155" of Assignments of Mortgages at page 214, will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises in such mortgage and hereinafter described at the front door of the Court House in the City of Bismarck, County of Burleigh, State of North Dakota, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon on the twenty-second day of March, A. D. 1924, to satisfy the amount due upon such mortgage on the day of sale.

Default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to pay taxes on the premises for the years 1919-1920-1921 and 1922, which taxes the assignee of the mortgage paid on Oct. 18th, 1923 in the amount of \$249.36; also default in the failure to pay annual interest coupons due Nov. 1st, 1922 and 1923, respectively, in the amount of \$96.00 each, by reason of which defaults the assignee of the mortgage has elected to and does declare the entire mortgage indebtedness due and payable.

The premises described in such mortgage and which will be sold to satisfy the same are described as the Southeast Quarter (SE 1/4) of Section Twenty-seven (27) in Township One Hundred Forty-two (142) North, Range Seventy-five (75) West of the 5th P. M. containing 160 acres, in Burleigh County, North Dakota.

There will be due on such mortgage at the date of sale the sum of Two Thousand Ninety-six and 30/100ths (\$2996.30) Dollars (which includes principal, taxes, interest coupons and accrued interest), and the

costs of this foreclosure allowed by law.

Dated February 8th, 1924.
THOMAS HOWIESON,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
ARNE VINJE,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Steele, North Dakota.
2-9-16-23-3-1-8-15

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by John Bullock, a single man, Mortgagor, to Investors Mortgage Security Company, Inc., Mortgagee, dated March 15th, 1918, and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Burleigh County, North Dakota, on April 25th, 1918, at 4:30 o'clock p. m., and duly recorded in Book 90 of Mortgages, on page 194; and thereafter, on April 30th, 1918, by an instrument in writing, assigned by said mortgagee to First Mortgage Loan Company, a corporation, and which assignment was filed for record in the said office of the Register of Deeds on May 20th, 1918, at 9 o'clock a. m., and duly recorded in Book 155, on page 13; and thereafter, on May 21st, 1918, by an instrument in writing, duly assigned by said assignee to Paul H. Hertel, and which assignment was filed for record in the said office of the Register of Deeds on December 27th, 1923, at 11:10 o'clock a. m., and recorded in Book 174 of Miscellaneous, page 479; will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises in such mortgage and hereinafter described at the front door of the Court House in the City of Bismarck, Burleigh County, North Dakota, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon on the 25th day of March, 1924, to satisfy the amount due on such mortgage on the day of sale.

The premises described in such mortgage and which will be sold to satisfy the same are described as follows, to-wit: Southeast Quarter (SE 1/4) of Section Eighteen (18) in Township One Hundred thirty-seven (137) North, Range Seventy-six (76) West, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the government survey thereof, situate, lying and being in Burleigh County, North Dakota.

Default having been made in the conditions of said mortgage, and the assignee having given the record title owner of the above described premises notice as provided by law, and the same not having been paid, there will be due on such mortgage on the day of sale the sum of \$2351.31. And the assignee also having paid the taxes on said premises for the years 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922 and 1923, and which sums are included in the sum declared to be due.

Dated February 12th, 1924.
PAUL H. HERTEL, Assignee,
SULLIVAN, HANLEY & SULLIVAN,
Attorneys for Assignee.
2-11-18-25-3-10-17

SALE OF LAND

Notice is hereby given, That under authority of an Order of Sale granted by the Honorable I. C. Davies, Judge of the County Court of the County of Burleigh, in the State of North Dakota, dated the 29th day of January, A. D. 1924, the undersigned, the administrator of the estate of John B. Stackhouse late of the City of Bismarck in the County of Burleigh and State of North Dakota, deceased, will sell at private sale to the highest bidder, for one third cash and the balance on a credit not exceeding two years payable in installments within that time with annual on deferred payments subject to confirmation by the Judge of said

SWIFTY!

That's What They Call Bowman After Great Win



CHET BOWMAN

Everybody knew Chet Bowman was a great football player. Look what he did at Syracuse last fall! Made one record after another. Everybody knew he was fast, too. Not just fast, but sure 'nuff fast.

But few people figured he could beat Loren Muchison and Bob McAllister, two of the greatest sprinters in the world.

Yet that's what this Syracuse football star did. Beat 'em badly in a 60-yard dash, stopping the distance in 6 3/5 seconds.

Swiftly is right!

County Court, the following described interest in land, to-wit: All the interest of said deceased in lots numbered Six (6), Seven (7), Eight (8) and Nine (9) in Block Fifty Five (55) in the Original Plat of the City of Bismarck in Burleigh County, state of North Dakota, arising out of a land contract for the purchase and sale of said lots executed between Otto Reimer as vendor and the said John B. Stackhouse as vendee on which contract the vendee has paid \$800.00 of the purchase price of \$900. The title to said lots remains in the vendor as the said contract has not been fully performed by the vendee.

Said sale will be made subject to all payments unpaid upon said contract, all of which are past due.

The sale will be made on or after the 25th day of February, A. D. 1924. All bids must be in writing, and may be left at the office of F. H. Register, attorney, in the Webb Block in the City of Bismarck in said Burleigh County, or filed with the Judge of said County Court, or delivered to the undersigned personally.

F. J. GRADY,
Administrator of the estate of John B. Stackhouse, Deceased.
Dated February 4th, A. D. 1924.
2-4-11-18

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The premises described in such mortgage and which will be sold to satisfy the same are described as the Southwest Quarter (SW 1/4) of Section Twenty-seven (27) in Township One Hundred Forty-two (142) North, Range Seventy-five (75) West of the 5th P. M. containing 160 acres, in Burleigh County, North Dakota.

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U. S. ATTITUDE PRAISED

London, Feb. 18.—Agitation in the United States over the Teapot Dome oil lease investigation is termed by the Morning Post "a healthy sign of the determination of the American people to make the United States safe for democracy by insisting that its rulers have perfectly clean hands."

Recalling similar scandals in Great Britain, the newspaper says it "cannot help contrasting the eagerness of prominent Americans to investigate the grave issues, and the support they are receiving from the public and press, with the apathy and supine toleration with which the fight for clean government was received in this country."

A Wise Suggestion
THE MAID—I've often wondered, mum, why you don't get rid of that piano and 'ave the wireless—look what a lot of dustin' it'd save.—London Opinion.

Too Late To Classify

WANTED—Housekeeper to keep house for man and boy. Close to town. Write P. O. Box 51. 2-18-24

FOR RENT—A modern furnished house, close in, immediate possession. Also for sale, a seven-room house and a Hamilton piano. Phone 905. 2-18-24

FOR RENT—Five-room modern apartment. L. K. Thompson. Phone 287. 2-18-24

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WANTED—A competent girl for general housework, 802 Ave. B. 2-18-24

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8 room modern house \$4500.00
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Fire insurance written in reliable companies.
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2-18-1w

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TAILORING salesman America's largest exclusive trouser house has opening in this territory. Made to measure Trousers \$5.50 to \$8.50. Big daily profits and bonus. Write Lincoln Tailoring Company, 34 East 12th St., New York City.
2-18-1w

LOST
Gold Shaffer fountain pen, with initials M. C. B. Fisher, please notify Marie Beer, Tel. Office.
2-18-21
Brown marmot fur belt at auction. Return to 308 9th St. or phone 438.
2-16-21

FOR SALE OR RENT HOUSES AND FLATS
FOR SALE 6 room modern house, close in, east front, basement, furnace, light, water, sewer and bath. Rent \$5.00. A fine bungalow, 6 rooms, all modern improvements, 3 bed rooms, oak floors, china closets built in, other built in features, large glassed in porch, comparatively new, for \$4500. Geo. W. Register.
2-18-1w

FOR RENT
Four room modern house, close in, for \$15.00 a month; 7 room modern house, redecorated, on 4th St. at \$25.00, and 10 room modern house redecorated, close in, at \$30.00. Geo. W. Register.
2-18-1w

FOR RENT
Comfortable, well furnished apartment, two rooms and kitchenette. Also piano for sale. Call in forenoon or after 5 P. M. Phone 632M. 818 Ave. B.
2-18-1w

FOR RENT
Furnished apartment on second floor, fitted for light housekeeping, \$40 a month. Phone 794W. Geo. W. Little, 801 Fourth.
2-18-1w

WANTED
Furnished light housekeeping apartment, by March 1st. Write P. O. Box 263.
2-18-21
FOR RENT-Strictly modern apartments in Rose Apartments. F. W. Murphy. Phone 582. 2-18-21
FOR RENT-Two apartments fully equipped for light housekeeping. Phone 784-W. 2-18-21

ROOMS FOR RENT
FOR RENT-Comfortable front room on first floor. Also for sale. Electric piano, kitchen table, Auto Hooper Knitting machine. 409-5th. St. Phone 512R. 2-15-21
FOR RENT-Newly furnished, very comfortable, two gentlemen preferred, 404 1st St. Phone 558-M. 2-18-1w

FOR RENT
Two room apartment for light housekeeping. Bismarck Business College. Phone 183. 2-18-1w
FOR RENT-Furnished light housekeeping also one sleeping room. 822 3rd St. Phone 133V. 2-18-21

FOR RENT
Very nicely furnished room, for one or two. Close in. 517 7th St. 2-16-21
FOR RENT-Three good unfurnished housekeeping rooms. Call at 303 7th St. 2-17-21
FOR RENT-Furnished room in modern house. Phone 782. 607-6th St. 2-16-21

FOR RENT
Pleasant room at 514 6th St. Phone 227. 2-18-1w

POSITION WANTED
EXPERIENCED stenographer desires position in city by March 1st. References furnished. Write Tribune 715. 2-13-1w

Would Cure Sleeping Sickness
Berlin, Feb. 18.-Professor Robert Koch, the discoverer of cholera and tuberculosis germs, undertook an expedition into Africa in 1906, at the request of the imperial government, to study sleeping sickness, in the hope of finding some chemical product which would eliminate the disease from the blood of natives. The famous scientist kept a diary on this trip, parts of which have just been made public by Professor Kleine, who recently made a trip to Africa to test "Bayer 205," which has proved efficacious in the treatment of sleeping sickness.

LARGE DEMAND FOR STAMPS
Washington, Feb. 18.-Approximately 18,000,000 postage stamps will be required by the people of the country during the coming year. Postal service experts calculate there has been an increase of 7 percent annually for the last 28 years. It costs 8 cents a 1,000 to manufacture stamps, and the government sells a 1,000 for special delivery stamps. It is estimated \$1,500,000 will be required to manufacture these stamps at the bureau of engraving and printing here.

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EVERETT TRUE BY CONDO

OH, JACKSON: HERE YOU ARE! HERE'S A PLUMBING BILL FOR YOU IN THIS MORNING'S MAIL!

WHY, THIS BILL IS MADE ABOUT TO YOU, MR. TRUE.

YES, IT'S MADE OUT TO ME, BUT IT'S COMING OUT OF YOU! YOU'RE THE ONE THAT PERSISTS IN THROWING CIGARET BUTTS INTO THE WASH BOWL!!!

It's tough to be in a crowd of radio and mah jongg fans when you understand only English.-Brooklyn Eagle.

Boots and Her Buddies

BOOTS

THAT'S ME! I'VE GOT A PEACH OF A BROTHER WHO COMES AS NEAR AS POSSIBLE TO TAKING THE PLACE OF A MOTHER, AND DAD I USED TO HAVE, HE PUT ME IN COLLEGE, AND SAY- I'M HAVING THE BEST OLD TIME!!

AND HER BUDDIES

I AM ANN! MAYBE IT WAS NATURAL BUSINESS COMMON SENSE THAT STARTED ME OUT AS A STENO! ANYWAY, NOW I'AM A FULL FLEDGED PRIVATE SECRETARY! \$35 A WEEK! NOT SO BAD, WHAT?

THEY CALL ME MARG! SPORTS ARE MY HOBBY! ANY TIME I'M NOT AT CLASS OR AT HOME, YOU'LL FIND ME ON THE TENNIS COURT, IN THE TANK OR ON THE GYM FLOOR! WHO CAN TELL?

MY NAME IS CORA! AFTER I GRADUATED FROM COLLEGE, THERE WAS ONE OF TWO THINGS FOR ME TO DO: GO BACK HOME ON THE FARM OR GET MARRIED! SO I TOOK UP TEACHING!

OUT OUR WAY

OUT OUR WAY

I DON'T CARE IF YOU GO CLEAR AROUND THE BLOCK, OR EVEN WAY DOWN TO THE BRICK YARD. YOU CAN MAKE 'IM GALLUR OR ANYTHING I DON'T CARE

MOMENTS WED LIKE TO LIVE OVER- WHEN YOU HAD A STAND IN WITH THE RICHEST KID IN TOWN!

Patrolmen To Help In Child Safety

Chicago, Feb. 18.-Better pictures and literature, neighborhood facilities for recreation, and making "big brothers" of the policemen, are some of the things suggested to ministers and lay members of Protestant churches by the Chicago Church Federation in a pamphlet on making Chicago safe for children.

Children must be taught the ways of safety, and morons and speeders must be eliminated if the children of a community are to be safe, the pamphlet says, while the literature at some news stands "is rank poison" to a child's mind and imagination.

Your church can cooperate with the school and the home to correct wrong tendencies inspired by neighborhood "hang-outs," and can be substituted by trained, supervised and morally helpful gymnasiums or playgrounds.

Cultivate acquaintance with the patrolman, he can tell you much. They should be big brothers to the children. Call a meeting at which they are invited to be present.

Will Bavaria Have Monarchy?

Munich, Feb. 18.-Residents of Bavaria are to be afforded opportunity to express themselves at the polls as to whether or not they favor restoration of a monarchy as part of the program of the People's party, it was announced recently. It is contended by party leaders that a Baden monarchy within boundaries of the German republic is entirely practicable, and that the issue has been raised because they believe that it is in accordance with the wishes of a large proportion of the Bavarian electorate.

From present indications 13 parties will have candidates in the field at the election which it is planned to hold some time next fall.

"Eat onions in the winter," says a doctor. Then, if you are lost in a fog, your friends will soon find you.-London Opinion.

MARKET NEWS

WHEAT LOWER IN TRADING

Absence of Buying Pressure Drag on Market

Chicago, Feb. 18.-Increased offerings and inadequate buying support led to lower prices for wheat today during the early dealings. The selling came chiefly from commission houses and from pit traders. Abundant receipts in the southwest counted as a bearish factor. The opening which ranged from one-eighth cent decline to one-eighth cent advance with May \$1.10 3-4 to \$1.11 and July \$1.10 1-2 to \$1.10 5-8 was followed by a moderate general setback.

Subsequently shutting down of operations by a Chicago flour mill company because of lack of flour buying had a further depressing influence. The close was unsettled. 3-4 to 1 cent net lower. May \$1.09 7-8 to \$1.10 and July \$1.09 5-8 to 3-4 cents to \$1.09 3-4 cents.

MINNEAPOLIS FLOUR

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HOLD UP NEWT SHES AREARIN

YOU SAY HE RAN IN THE LAW?

OH-OH-MYJAW!

OUR TEETH NEVER CLASH IN A JAM.

DOCTOR PULLMAN DENTIST

I UP AN TOLD HER RIGHT BEFORE TH' WHOLE CROWD

THEN WHAT DID SHE SAY?

AFTER THREATENING TO DO IT FOR FOUR YEARS, MARSHAL OTEY WALKER FINALLY STOPPED THE BOYS FROM USING DOC PULLMAN'S STAIRWAY FOR A COASTING PLACE

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WANTED-Competent girl or woman for general housework. Mrs. R. B. Loubeck. Phone 554. 2-16-24
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LOST

LOST-Gold Shaffer fountain pen, with initials M. C. B. Finder please notify Marie Beer, Tel. Office. 2-18-24
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FOR SALE OR RENT HOUSES AND FLATS

FOR SALE-6 room modern house, close in, east front, basement, furnace, light, water, sewer and bath. A fine bungalow, 6 rooms, all modern improvements, 3 bed rooms, oak floors, china closets built in, other built in features, large glassed in porch, comparatively new, for \$4500. Geo. M. Register. 2-16-24
FOR RENT-Four room partly modern house, very close in, for \$15.00 a month. 7 room modern house, redecorated, on 4th St. at \$35.00, and 10 room modern house redecorated, close in, at \$50.00. Geo. W. Register. 2-12-24

FOR RENT-Comfortable, well furnished apartment, two rooms and kitchenette. Also piano for sale. Call in forenoon or after 6 P. M. Phone 632M. 818 Ave. B. 2-16-24

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FOR RENT-Two room apartment for light housekeeping. Bismarck Business College. Phone 183. 2-18-24

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FOR RENT-Very nicely furnished room, for one or two. Call in 517 7th St. 2-16-24

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FOR RENT-Pleasant room at 514 6th St. Phone 227. 2-18-24

POSITION WANTED

EXPERIENCED stenographer desires position in city by March 1st. References furnished. Write Tribune 715. 2-13-24

Would Cure Sleeping Sickness

Berlin, Feb. 18.-Professor Robert Koch, the discoverer of cholera and tuberculosis germs, undertook an expedition into Africa in 1906, at the request of the imperial government, to study sleeping sickness in the hope of finding some chemical product which would eliminate the disease from the blood of natives. The famous scientist kept a diary on this trip, parts of which have just been made public by Professor Kleine, who recently made a trip to Africa to test "Rayer 205," which has proved efficacious in the treatment of sleeping sickness. Professor Kleine was with Professor Koch on the trip in 1906, and has supplemented the latter's diary with details of a personal character which Dr. Koch omitted because of his modesty. Dr. Koch was 64 years old when he made the African trip. He was determined to find some means of fighting sleeping sickness. Sanitary measures were employed, sufferers from the disease were isolated, and Dr. Koch made a test to Africa, a chemical product which he hoped would eliminate the malarial. He attained no definite results, and it remained for younger scientists to work out the remedy for which he was striving. In the African jungle the aged scientist suffered much from the

For Sale-Modern house located on 6th Street, 5 rooms and bath. Full basement, fire place, screened porch, also Garage. One of the best built houses in Bismarck and in splendid condition. Price \$5500.00. Terms. For Sale-New Bungalow, six rooms and bath, located in Riverview Addition. Full basement, Hot water heating plant. Garage. Price \$6200.00. Terms. For Sale-Modern Bungalow, six rooms and bath, excellent condition. Garage and chicken house. Located on 9th Opposite Hospital. Price \$5000.00. Terms.

Investors Mortgage Security Co. Phone 138

FOR SALE
6 room modern house \$4500.00
8 rooms, partly modern 4200.00
4 rooms, partly modern 1900.00
5 rooms and bath 3000.00
4 rooms, lights and water 1150.00
8 rooms, modern 5750.00
For real estate service in either city property or farm lands, see me.
Fire insurance written in reliable companies. F. E. YOUNG.
2-18-24

SALESMAN

TAILORING salesman America's largest exclusive trouser house has opening in this territory. Made to measure Trousers \$5.50 to \$8.50. Big daily profits and bonus. Write Tailoring Company, 34 East 12th St. New York City.

SEVERAL SALESMEN with Ford car to sell greatest gasoline saving device known, Bismarck-Mandan territory. Big money for hustlers. Write Box 237 Bismarck for particulars. 2-15-24

SALESLADIES WANTED-We have an opening for capable sales ladies with good references. Phone 890 or write No. 718. 2-18-24

PERSONAL

PALMISTRY and phrenologist, Madame Leattimore, 416 4th St. Phone 1118, Bismarck, N. Dak. Call from 11 a. m. till 10 p. m. Help you find lost articles. 2-15-24

SUB DIGBY-Private instruction in Gregg shorthand, touch typewriting, 208 3rd St. Telephone 885. 2-18-24

LAND

FOR SALE-Cheap. 160 acres, suitable for dairying or ranching. Fifty-eight acres river bottom land, 47 acres of same plowed; house, barn, wind mill, all fenced. One mile from town. Geo. Dushabek, Medora, N. D. 2-16-24

FOR SALE-A bargain. A quarter section of land in Burleigh county, North Dakota, good soil, at least 75 acres in cultivation, no buildings, for \$10 per acre. Geo. M. Register. 2-16-24

AUTOMOBILE-MOTORCYCLES

BARGAINS-Used Cars. Dodge touring 1922, 1 Chandler Touring, 1 Chevrolet coupe, 7 months old, 1 Oldsmobile 1920, 1 Willis Knight, 1919, 1 Durant, demons motor, at liberal discount. Several Fords of different models. We accept Soldiers bonuses, road warrants, etc. as payment. Dakota Auto Sales Co. 107 5th St. Bismarck, N. Dak. Phone 428. 2-18-24

MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE-One Samson tractor, Model M, 1 set of three bottom stubble plows, almost new; one ten foot Thomas drill; all for \$300. Located at Arthur Small's place, fifteen miles Northeast of Bismarck. For particulars write or see Amos Freed, First National Bank, Mandan, N. D. 2-14-24

MR. INVESTOR-If you have a few thousand dollars to invest in a first mortgage on Bismarck real estate and want to make an investment that is safe and pays a good rate of interest I would like to hear from you. This will bear strict investigation. Write Tribune No. 716. 2-14-24

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HEMSTITCHING-All work 10 cents per yard, Singer Sewing Machine Co. Bismarck, N. D. 2-6-24

WILL TEACH BEGINNERS in piano at pupils home at very reasonable rates. Telephone 627-R. 2-16-24

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LARGE DEMAND FOR STAMPS

Washington, Feb. 18.-Approximately 18,000,000,000 postage stamps will be required by the people of the country during the coming year. Postal service experts calculate there has been an increase of 7 percent annually for the last 30 years. It costs 8 cents a 1,000 to manufacture ordinary postage stamps and 16 cents a 1,000 for special delivery stamps. It is estimated \$1,500,000 will be required to manufacture these stamps at the bureau of engraving and printing here.

A woman's secret society has been formed in America. It sounds impossible.-London Opinion.

EVERETT TRUE BY CONDO

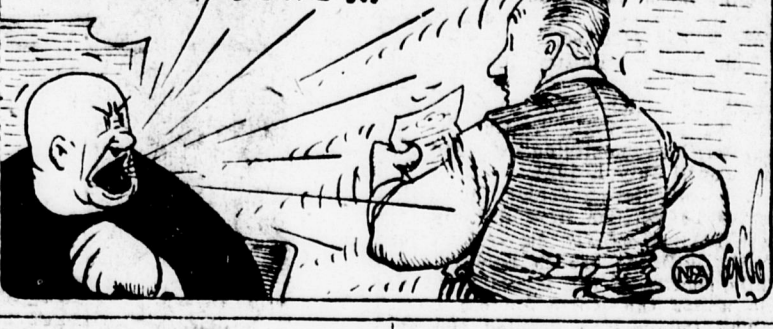
OH, JACKSON! HERE YOU ARE! HERE'S A PLUMBING BILL FOR YOU IN THIS MORNING'S MAIL!



WHY THIS BILL IS MADE OUT TO YOU, MR. TRUE.



YES, IT'S MADE OUT TO ME, BUT IT'S COMING OUT OF YOU!! YOU'RE THE ONE THAT PERSISTS IN THROWING CIGARET BUTTS INTO THE WASH BOWL!!!



It's tough to be in a crowd of understand only English.-Brooklyn radio and mah jongg fans when you Eagle.

Boots and Her Buddies

How Family Squabbles Start



AND HER BUDDIES

I AM ANN. MAYBE IT WAS NATURAL BUSINESS COMMON SENSE THAT STARTED ME OUT AS A STENO. ANYWAY, NOW I'M A FULL FLEDGED PRIVATE SECRETARY! \$35 A WEEK! NOT SO BAD WHAT?

THEY CALL ME MARG! SPORTS ARE MY HOBBY. ANY TIME I'M NOT AT CLASS OR AT HOME, YOU'LL FIND ME ON THE TENNIS COURT IN THE TANK OR ON THE GYM FLOOR! WHO CAN TELL?

MY NAME IS CORA! AFTER I GRADUATED FROM COLLEGE, THERE WAS ONE OF TWO THINGS FOR ME TO DO: GO BACK HOME ON THE FARM OR GET MARRIED! SO I TOOK UP TEACHING!

OUT OUR WAY

BY WILLIAMS



MOMENTS WE'D LIKE TO LIVE OVER- WHEN YOU HAD A STAND IN WITH THE RICHEST KID IN TOWN.

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Chicago, Feb. 18.-Better pictures and literature, neighborhood facilities for recreation, and making "big brothers" of the policemen, are some of the things suggested to ministers and lay members of Protestant churches by the Chicago Church Federation in a pamphlet on making Chicago safe for children.

Children must be taught the ways of safety, and morons and speeders must be eliminated if the children of a community are to be safe, the pamphlet says, while the literature at some news stands "is rank poison" to a child's mind and imagination. "Your church can cooperate with school and the home to correct wrong tendencies inspired by neighborhood 'hang-outs' and can be substituted by trained, supervised, and morally helpful gymnasiums or playgrounds.

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Live Poultry

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MANDAN WINS BOWLING MATCH

The Mandan city bowling team defeated Bismarck bowlers Saturday night, after several tries. The score:

MANDAN		
Wertz	150	175
Johnson	150	165
Tatta	125	161
Swan	172	175
Owens	169	169
Total	666	2495

BISMARCK		
L. Klein	120	152
F. Hannel	141	141
T. Schneider	190	125
A. Schneider	156	171
C. E. Thomas	153	190
Total	660	2456

Tender's Weight Low
Despite the fact that Lew Tender announced some months ago that he would devote the rest of his fighting days to meeting welterweights, the Philadelphia southpaw weighed only 117 1/2 pounds for his recent bout with Ray Mitchell.

Billy Evans Says

What may seem to be a difficult fielding feat, because of the rarity with which it is performed, does not always hold true. For instance, take the triple play, unassisted. Since the inauguration of major league baseball the play has been made only five times. Peculiarly enough the feat was performed twice last season, both times in Boston. Unquestionably the triple play, unassisted, is decidedly rare but not necessarily difficult.

It is obvious, that for one player to retire the side by making a triple play, unassisted, the whole situation must be more or less made to order. It so happened that I was the umpire in the game at Boston last summer in which First Base man George Burns of the Boston club made his unassisted triple play. It is something of a coincidence that Burns turned the trick nearest Cleveland the club he is to play with this year. The play came with runners on first and second and Cleveland trailing by several runs. On the hit and run, the latter knocked a line drive directly into Burns' hands. He touched off the runners going to second and then the runner originally on second back to that base.

As I watched the third man out Burns, with a smile playing over his face, turned to me and remarked: "Is there any one else I can touch to make it four?"

Burns will tell you that during his career in the major leagues that he has made hundreds of plays far more difficult than his unassisted triple play. He has made two plays that will go down into records, and three more long after Burns as a player has been forgotten. The really commendable feature in making a triple play, unassisted, is not the execution of the play but rather the alertness of the mind in grasping the possibilities. The slightest fraction of a second delay on such a play would make impossible the successful completion.

At I watched Burns make history that afternoon at Boston, the thing that I marveled at far more than the execution of the play was the way his mind grasped the situation.

The third and final out at second base was a rather close decision. Had Burns hesitated but slightly in his intention the play would have failed to go over. Invariably in a triple play, unassisted, it is the mental feature rather than the physical execution that is deserving of praise. Of course, such a play provides a big thrill for the spectator, but from a playing angle there is seldom any thing difficult about it. The play simply must be made to order to go over.

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With Szabo-Plank (above) Austrian champion figure skater, won first honors at Chamonix when she defeated the American skater, Beatrice Loughran.

First Year in Big Ten, He Leads All Scorers

By NEA Service.
Columbus, O., Feb. 18.—At an age when most youths are just beginning to get accustomed to long trousers, "Cookie" Cunningham, center in Ohio State's basketball team, is leading the Big Ten in individual scoring.

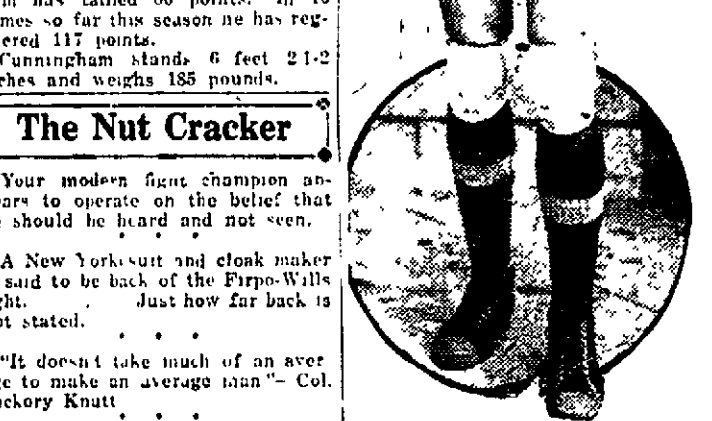
Although it is his first season and despite the fact that he is only 18 years of age, Cunningham is well in the Van among the individual scorers. What makes his achievement all the more remarkable is that he has played in fewer than a dozen games of his trials and is playing in a new position.

As the star player on the Mt. Vernon (O.) high school basketball quintet several years ago Cunningham held down a guard job. Playing in the national tournament at Chicago in 1922 he was hailed as an All-American inter-collegiate player.

Following the close of the 1923 football season in which he won his "O" as an end on Ohio State's eleven, Cunningham turned out for basketball and immediately made good at center.

In five Big Ten contests Cunningham has tallied 66 points. In 10 games so far this season he has registered 117 points.

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"COOKIE" CUNNINGHAM

long time since the bass singers ruled the game.

The All America girls' hockey team haven't won a game in England yet, and the remarkable thing about this is that Walter Camp didn't pick it.

Jim Jeffries will never be ranked with the ring's immortals. Jim didn't know a mashie niblick from a Polish folk song.

Tex Rickard wishes that he went into the fight game first as a joke.

Star Players in Role of Manager, Carefully Guard Their Prestige

By NEA Service.
Cleveland, Feb. 18.—Stars players who also essay managerial roles are decidedly skeptical when it comes to making deals with each other. Were it not for the fact that Howard Kohn would now be a member of the Cleveland Indians instead of the Boston Red Sox.

Two years back, when Trip Speaker heard that Cobb had weakened on Ehmske, lost confidence in the big pitcher's ability to deliver the Cleveland manager made overtures to the Tigers for him.

At that time Guy Morton was pitching good ball for Cleveland and Cobb was rather strong for the Alabama twirler. Speaker was willing to turn him over. On the surface it seemed that Cobb was getting the edge, since Morton at the time was pitching far better ball than Ehmske.

Speaker, however, was willing to gamble with Ehmske, believing that he had greater possibilities. Cleveland the year previous had won the American League pennant. The day was that if Speaker could get Ehmske, he would have a good chance to repeat. The Cleveland manager felt that he could make Ehmske into a winner, that he might win another pennant.

Cobb must have got the same thought about the same time, for he called the deal off just when it seemed settled. And for two years he carried Ehmske, who was nothing more than a useless baggage, fearing that under Speaker Ehmske would come through, thereby besmirching Cobb's prestige.

What a move, Cleveland didn't win the pennant in 1921. And shortly after Cobb called off the deal Morton lost his winning ways.

OPENING OF THE OLYMPIC GAMES



Flags of all nations saluted when Olympic games opened at Chamonix, France.

Thus explaining why he watched Moran with Willard.

There can no longer be any doubt that Hurry Wilk is a great heavy-weight. He has taken up golf.

Ohio State has started winter football practice. Snowing the scrubs under will naturally be easier now than ever.

The sport rews of the day 1' horribly incomplete. Not one promoter has stepped forward to offer \$500,000 for a Firpo-Whoozit fight.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE
Notice is hereby given, that certain mortgage, executed and delivered by Francis E. Young, a single man, Mortgagor, to Investors Mortgage Security Company, Inc., Mortgagee, dated March 10th, 1918, and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Burleigh County, North Dakota, on April 25th, 1918, at 4:30 o'clock p. m., and duly recorded in Book 90 of Mortgages, on page 194; and thereafter, on April 30th, 1918, by an instrument in writing, assigned by said mortgagee to First Mortgage Loan Company, a corporation, and which assignment was filed for record in the said office of the Register of Deeds on May 20th, 1918, at 9 o'clock a. m., and duly recorded in Book 155 of Assignments, on page 325; and which mortgage and assignment are hereinafter described, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Bismarck, North Dakota, in the County of Burleigh and State of North Dakota, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, on the 18th day of March, A. D. 1924, to satisfy the amount due upon said mortgage on the day of sale.

The premises described in such mortgage and which will be sold to satisfy the same are described as follows, to-wit: Southeast Quarter (SE 1/4) of Section Eighteen (18) in Township One hundred thirty-seven (137) North, Range Seventy-six (76) West, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the government survey thereof, situate, lying and being in Burleigh County, North Dakota.

Default having been made in the conditions of said mortgage, and the assignee having given the record title owner of the above described premises notice as provided by law, and the same not having been paid, there will be due on such mortgage on the day of sale the sum of \$2351.31. And the assignee also having paid the taxes on said premises for the years 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922 and 1923, and which sums are included in the sum declared to be due.

Dated February 11th, 1924.

PAUL H. HERTEL, Assignee.
SULLIVAN, HANLEY & SULLIVAN, Attorneys for Assignee.

SALE OF LAND
Notice is hereby given, That under authority of an Order of Sale granted by the Honorable I. C. Davis, Judge of the County Court of the County of Burleigh in the State of North Dakota, dated the 9th day of January, A. D. 1924, the undersigned, administrator of the estate of John B. Stackhouse late of the City of Bismarck in the County of Burleigh and State of North Dakota, deceased, will sell at private sale, the highest bidder, for one third cash and the balance on a credit not exceeding two years payable in installments within that time with interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum on deferred payments subject to confirmation by the Judge of said County Court, the following described interest in land, to-wit: All the interest of said deceased in lots numbered Six (6), Seven (7), Eight (8) and Nine (9) in Block Fifty Five (55) in the Original Plat of the City of Bismarck in Burleigh County, State of North Dakota, arising out of a land contract for the purchase and sale of said lots executed between Otto Reimer at vendor and the said John B. Stackhouse as vendee on which contract the vendee has paid \$300.00 of the purchase price of \$800. The title to said lots remains in the vendor as the said contract has not been fully performed by the vendee.

Said sale will be made subject to all payments unpaid upon said contract, all of which are past due.

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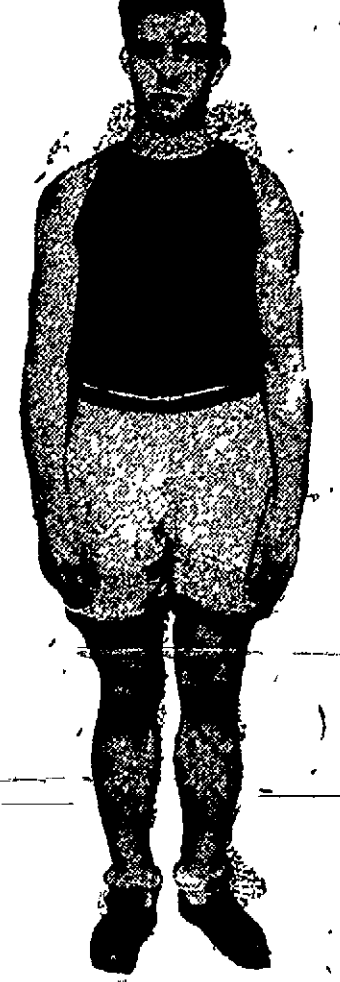
Notice is hereby given that certain mortgage, executed and delivered by Leslie S. Hackney and Lillie M. Hackney, his wife, mortgagors, to Hackney Land Credit Company, a corporation of St. Paul, Minnesota, Mortgagee, dated the first day of November 1919 and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Burleigh County, North Dakota, on the 12th day of November 1919 and recorded in Book "88" of Mortgages, on page 80, and assigned by said mortgagee to Thomas Howieson, by assignment dated Nov. 25th, 1919 and recorded in said office of the Register of Deeds on November 17th, 1920, in Book "155" of Assignments of Mortgages at page 214, will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises in such mortgage and hereinafter described at the front door of the Court House in the City of Bismarck, County of Burleigh, State of North Dakota, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon on the twenty-second day of March A. D. 1924, to satisfy the amount due upon such mortgage on the day of sale.

Default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to pay taxes on the premises for the years 1919-1920-1921 and 1922, which taxes the assignee of the mortgage paid on Oct. 18th, 1923 in the amount of \$249.36; also default in the failure to pay annual interest coupons due Nov. 1st, 1922 and 1923, respectively, in the amount of \$90.00 each, by reason of which defaults the assignee of the mortgage has elected to and does declare the entire mortgage indebtedness due and payable.

The premises described in such mortgage and which will be sold to satisfy the same are described in the Southeast Quarter (SE 1/4) of Section Twenty-seven (27) in Township One Hundred Forty-two (142) North, Range Seventy-five (75) West of the 5th P. M., containing 160 acres, in Burleigh County, North Dakota.

There will be due on such mortgage at the date of sale the sum of Two Thousand Ninety-six and 30/100ths (\$2096.30) Dollars (which includes principal, taxes, interest coupons and accrued interest), and the

SWIFTY!
That's What They Call Bowman After Great Win



CHET BOWMAN

Everybody knew Chet Bowman was a great football player. Look what he did at Syracuse last fall! Made one record after another. Everybody knew he was fast, too. Not just fast, but sure 'nuff fast. But few people figured he could beat Loren Muchison and Bob McAllister, two of the greatest sprinters in the world.

Yet that's what this Syracuse football star did. Beat 'em badly in a 60-yard dash, stepping the distance in 6 3/5 seconds.

Swiftly is right!

The sale will be made on or after the 28th day of February, A. D. 1924. All bids must be in writing, and may be left at the office of J. H. Register, attorney, in the Webb Block in the City of Bismarck in said Burleigh County, or filed with the Judge of said County Court, or delivered to the undersigned personally.

J. CRADY,
Administrator of the estate of John B. Stackhouse, Deceased.
Dated February 4th, A. D. 1924.

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The premises described in such mortgage and which will be sold to satisfy the same are described as the Southwest Quarter (SW 1/4) of Section Twenty-seven (27) in Township One Hundred Forty-two (142) North, Range Seventy-five (75) West of the 5th P. M., containing 160 acres, in Burleigh County, North Dakota.

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MORGAN GIVES LIBRARY FOR PUBLIC USE

One of Finest Private Collections of Books in World Is Turned Over

GIVES ENDOWMENT

New York, Feb. 18.—J. P. Morgan announced Saturday night that as a memorial to his father, the late J. Pierpont Morgan, he had turned over his magnificent library, its valuable contents and the ground upon which it stands to a board of trustees, who are entrusted with its maintenance in perpetuity for the use of scholars from all parts of the world.

The collection, believed to be the best in private hands in existence, was estimated by Mr. Morgan to be worth in the vicinity of \$7,000,000. With it he gave an endowment of \$1,500,000. In addition he waived all personal and legal rights to the property.

Assembled in 1905. The library which is to be designated "The Perfect Morgan Library" was first assembled by the late J. Pierpont Morgan in 1905 and housed in a building opened for the following year on a tract of land extending from East 36th to East 37th street between Madison and Park avenues.

With the additions which have been made by Mr. Morgan since the death of his father in 1913, it contains 25,000 books and manuscripts of which 10,000 are rare or unique.

"My father's intense interest and satisfaction in the library which he left me," said Mr. Morgan, "makes it a peculiarly fitting memorial to him. It is a memorial which keeps alive the memory of his love of rare books and manuscripts and his belief in the educational value of the collection which he had gathered."

Trustees Given Full Power. Mr. Morgan made it clear that the trustees would take his place in the ownership with full powers "to direct and control the use of the building and contents" so that they be made "available in every way possible for the advancement of knowledge and for the use of the learned men of all countries."

He said the use of the library would have to be confined to scholars and research students and would have to be denied the general public because of the fragility of the books and manuscripts and because, once injured, they could neither be restored nor replaced.

Interest to Support Library. "A curious thing," he said, "I could undo the work of 500 years. I believe the interest from the endowment should support the library. If I want to do more, I shall do so from time to time in the way of additions. There are six trustees. Mr. Morgan, his wife, his sons, Junius Spencer Morgan and Henry Sturgis Morgan, James Gore King and Lewis Cass Ledyard. Whenever a vacancy among the trustees occurs by death or resignation, the remaining trustees will elect another to keep the number six."

Mr. Morgan expressed the hope that if at the time of such an election, there "should be in existence a direct descendant of my father in the male line," and if he were deemed a "suitable person," he should be chosen to fill the vacancy.

Manuscripts of Sixteenth Century. Among the principal collections in the library, there are 550 volumes of illuminated manuscripts dating from the sixteenth to the sixteenth century. Among the principal collections are the works and correspondence of American, English and continental authors, 905 writers are represented, while there are about 7,000 signed letters and documents, unbound.

Townships To Elect Officers. Townships and villages in Burleigh county, as well as in other counties in North Dakota will hold their annual elections on the date of the presidential primaries, March 18, at which time township clerks, assessors, treasurers, justices of the peace and constables will be named and general and road tax levies set. Trustees will also be named in the villages.

The present township boards will meet March 11 to close the year's business, and the new boards will meet March 25.

Stay Away From Here. Lahore, Afghanistan—Some American think their prohibition laws are about the toughest thing in the world. But they would change their minds if forced to observe Afghanistan's. A soldier, who had sipped a bit too much here recently, was fined \$145, lashed 80 times and paraded through the streets as an example to others who might fall by the wayside, as he did.

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He's a Straight-Shooting Senator



Senator S. W. Brookhart, Iowa, is an expert rifleman. Here he is on the range at Camp Sibley, proving his right to his title as president of the National Rifle Association.

CATTLE, SHEEP WINTER WELL

Farm Prices for Cattle and Sheep Gain Over Month Previous

Grand Forks, Feb. 18.—Cattle and sheep in North Dakota are wintering unusually well and feed supplies are now generally considered ample for late winter and spring needs according to reports received from stockmen throughout the state by J. G. Diamond, Agricultural Statistician for the federal division of Crop and Livestock estimates. Condition of cattle on February 1 averaged 93 per cent of a normal and was 5 points above the average of a year ago, while sheep at the same figure averaged 2 points above the condition of a year ago. There was no change in the condition of cattle compared with that of a month ago, and sheep declined but one point from the January 1 average of 94 per cent. Ranges and winter pastures, declined nominally from January 1 condition of 89 and 80 per cent respectively to 87 and 77 per cent of a normal, although the condition of ranges is still above that of a year ago (83 per cent).

Farm prices for cattle and sheep on February 1 show for most part slight gains over the January 1 levels, although they are still generally under the averages of a year ago except in the case of breeding classes of sheep.

Famous Doll Houses of History

Nuremberg, Feb. 18.—Descriptions of Queen Mary's doll house, which is to be exhibited for charity in London, have attracted wide attention among the master toy makers of Nuremberg. The house is said to be the most perfect structure of its kind ever put together and all available data concerning it has been assembled for future reference.

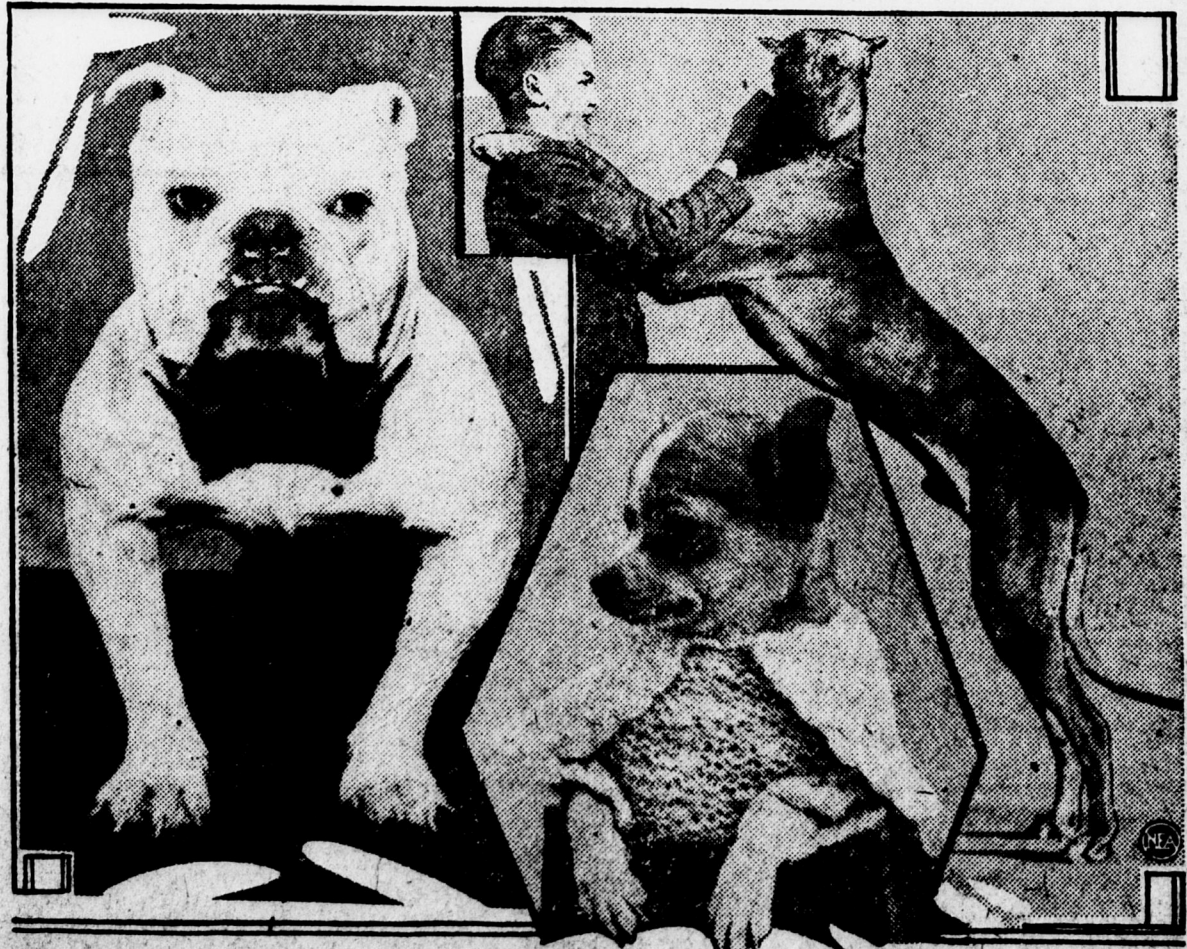
Sketches of many of the famous doll houses of history are on file here, some of them dating back to the 16th century. One of the best known among those recorded here was that built at Amsterdam originally for Peter the Great. He is said to have agreed to pay the artist 10,000 guilden for the eight-room house, completely furnished, and with wax figures dressed in the fashion of the time.

When the work was finished the style of architecture did not suit the ruler and he refused to accept it or pay for the work. At a later date, however, the czar's ambassador to Holland purchased the house without Peter's knowledge and kept it many years, chiefly for the amusement of his guests. Upon the ambassador's departure from Holland the house was turned over to the Dutch government and now is one of the historical exhibits in the state museum at Amsterdam.

Perhaps the most famous doll house of all Europe in olden times was the property of Louis XVI. It was made entirely of silver and its completion required the services of many artists for years. In later years during reverses in France the royal doll house went into the melting pot and the silver was used to pay some of the ruler's debts.

We don't see why there should ever be a lumber shortage, seeing how many planks in political platforms are never used after election.

ARISTOCRATS OF DOGDOM



Many wonderful specimens of dog-flesh were in evidence at New York City's annual dog show. "Oak Wall Model" is the husky looking pup on the left. Governor Al Smith's "Jeff," a great Dane, shown upper right with Walter Smith, also is entered, as is the friendly little pup shown in lower right. His name is Peaster's Little Chiculeo II.

DECISIONS OF STATE UTILITY BODY GIVEN

Motor Vehicle Certificates Cancelled for Failure to Carry Insurance

Decisions announced by the state railroad commission in its weekly bulletin today follow:

Cases Decided. The Commission cancelled the Certificate (No. 17) of J. E. Culp to operate a motor bus, due to his not having complied with the rules and regulations of the Commission.

The Commission cancelled Certificate No. 25 issued to Fargo Rapid Transit Company for the reason that they failed to comply with the rules and regulations of the Commission.

The Commission approved the proposed merger of the Northwestern Bell Telephone Company and the North Dakota Independent Telephone Company in the State of North Dakota.

The Commission suspended for 120 days the proposed Motor Deposit Rules of the Hughes Electric Company pending further investigation.

The Commission on February 11, 1924 granted permission to the Verona Farmers Telephone Company to issue mortgage to the State Bank of Verona \$100,000.

The Soo Line Railway having filed application for extension of time in which to comply with Chapter 100, Session Laws 1921, relating to cabooses, the Commission extended the time until July 1, 1924.

The Commission denied the application of the Soo Line Railway to establish tri-weekly service on the Fordville-Drake branch holding that daily service is the minimum possible under the North Dakota Laws.

The Commission granted the application of the Buxton Electric Company to sell its distribution system in Buxton to the Electric Construction Company of Grand Forks.

The application of the Northern States Power Company to issue \$1,530,000 face value first and Refunding Mortgage 25 year, 6 percent, Series "B" bonds was approved by the Commission.

The Commission ordered the Sheyenne Telephone Exchange Company to install a new switchboard at Sheyenne by April 1st, 1924, and reduced the Service Station Switching charges from \$6.00 to \$4.80 per subscriber per year. Also ordered all connecting companies to put their own lines in first class condition.

The Commission cancelled Certificate No. 4 issued to Western Transit Company of Minot for failure to comply with the rules and regulations of the Commission.

The Commission cancelled Certificate No. 2 issued to Peter Dennis of Center, North Dakota for failure to file insurance policy.

The Great Northern Railway Company has appealed to the District

Court of Bottineau County from the order of this Commission in Case No. 1904 ordering new stock yards at Roth.

Specialist of Jamestown Dies

Jamestown, Feb. 18.—A telegram was received in Jamestown Saturday morning announcing the death of Dr. G. Golseth at Rochester, Minnesota. Dr. Golseth was taken ill several weeks ago and at first there was difficulty in diagnosing his ailment. The trouble was ascertained to be typhoid fever with complications that affected his kidneys. The serious nature of his illness was recognized and Dr. Golseth was taken to Rochester to endeavor if possible to check the ravages of his disease. Little hope, however, was given for his recovery and he failed steadily, the end coming Saturday morning.

Mrs. Golseth went to Rochester with her husband and has been with him throughout his illness. Their two sons, Ralph and James, left Thursday night for their father's bedside.

The telegram stated that the body would be brought home Saturday morning on No. 1.

Dr. Golseth was 48 years old. He was one of the prominent specialists of the state and recognized as a leader in the treatment of the eye, ear, nose and throat. He was secretary and treasurer of the North Dakota Academy of Ophthalmology and Oto-Laryngology, and a member of the Stutsman County Clinic.

Measuring up to the motor needs of 1924

Every year that passes adds to our responsibility to motor car owners in this community.

In 1924 we will sell a lot of new Overland and Willys-Knight cars. The cars will want accessories, parts, adjustments and such things as the exigencies of traffic may dictate. We must be ready.

The cars that left these salesrooms in 1923 and before will be a year older. They will want help in their contest with depreciation. They look to us for that help.

The ever-increasing tendency of modern times is to throw still heavier burdens upon motor vehicles. They go farther, faster, and take over a greater part of the world's work.

And so this institution enters 1924 with still greater efficiency, better methods, and more equipment, to better serve the motor transport needs of the community.



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WITH spring almost here thousands of families, anticipating the demand that is certain to exist for Ford Cars and Trucks, are placing their orders for immediate delivery.

Sales now are far ahead of sales at this time last year. Advance orders calling for delivery under the Ford Weekly Purchase Plan have already reached a total of 255,758 Cars and Trucks.

The prospect of securing prompt delivery is daily becoming more uncertain. We cannot urge too strongly, therefore, the necessity of placing your order immediately, if you are planning to drive a Ford Car this spring.

See the nearest Authorized Ford Dealer

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It is not necessary to pay for your car in full in order to secure delivery. You can get on the preferred list for early delivery by making a small payment down. Or, if you wish, you can arrange for delivery under the terms of the Ford Weekly Purchase Plan.

When You Catch Cold Rub on Musterole

Musterole is easy to apply and it gets in its good work right away. Often it prevents a cold from turning into "flu" or pneumonia. Just apply Musterole with the fingers. It does all the good work of grandmother's mustard plaster without the blister.

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To Mothers: Musterole is now made in milder form for babies and small children. Ask for Children's Musterole. 35c and 65c jars and tubes; hospital size, \$3.00.

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